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REPORT LOBBYING AGAINST REPEAL

Organized Opposition Develops in Washington.

D'KNIGHT ON THE STAND

Senate Committee Reports That Influential Forces Back Fight Against Repeal of Canal Tolls Exemption Provision.

Washington, Mar. 12.—Renewal of the Senate lobby investigating committee's inquiry today handed in reports that there is organized opposition in Washington, backed by influential forces, against the proposed repeal of the Panama toll exemption. Today the committee examined Clarence DeKnight, a Washington lawyer, who admitted activity on behalf of concerns in favor of toll exemption when the bill was passed, but flatly denied knowledge of any lobbying efforts to prevent the repeal.

Tonight the committee, at the direction of Chairman Overman issued a subpoena for Dr. James Brown Scott, secretary for the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, whose name entered into the spirited debate in the Senate several weeks ago, between Senators Root and O'Gorman of New York. When extension of the general arbitration with Great Britain was under consideration, involving the tolls issue, Senator O'Gorman charged that the Carnegie Endowment had for its prime motive not the promotion of international peace, but the formation of a British-American alliance. Senator Root hotly protested against his colleague's statement. The lobby committee proposes to inquire through Dr. Scott into the actual aims and operations of the foundation, and whether it has entered into the tolls controversy.

Before the committee today DeKnight charged in a newspaper report which precipitated the investigation, with being the chief agent of an alleged lobby, admitted having devoted his efforts for 15 years to urging legislation in behalf of various interests.

"The lawyer admitted having entered into a contract with the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, through former Admiral P. T. Bowles, its president, to work for free tolls for coastwise shipping. For this service, he received $1,000, he said, but a contingent fee of $4,000 annually, depending on the passage of the tolls bill in that form, had not been paid. DeKnight agreed to produce this contract tomorrow.

Various Other Bills.

DeKnight told also of the urging through Congress various bills providing for increases in pay and higher rank for men of the army and navy. He estimated that contracts be made for this work with individuals and associations of enlisted men had brought him $40,000. He promised to lay before the committee about 100 of these contracts, together with all the correspondence with various shipbuilding companies and with the Pneumatic

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ARE TO FORMULATE PLANS

For Proposed Searching Congressional Inquiry Into Grain and Cotton Exchanges.

Washington, March 12.—Plans for a proposed searching Congressional investigation of the grain exchanges of the Northwest and the New York and New Orleans cotton exchanges will be worked out by a sub-committee created today by the House committee on rules. The full committee decided to broaden the scope of the resolution introduced by Representative Manahan, of Minnesota, to authorize an inquiry into the operations of the Chicago, Duluth and Minneapolis wheat pits and to extend the proposed investigations to cotton exchanges.

Representative Henry, chairman of the committee, heads the sub-committee, its other members being Representatives Hardwick, Cantrill, Lenroot and Kelley. Their instructions are to make a thorough investigation of facts and the legal questions involved, and to report to the full committee a resolution providing for the creation of a joint committee of the Senate, and House for full investigation of all the exchanges mentioned. The joint committee would be clothed with full power to subpoena witnesses and call for records and papers, to determine whether the practices of the exchanges enhance or depress prices, and whether future trading in farm products is detrimental or otherwise.

Mr. Henry tonight said the sub-committee would take action promptly and that the investigation would develop the information necessary as a basis for legislation to carry out the Baltimore Democratic platform plank demanding legislation abolishing gambling in farm products.

"We will make a thorough study of the legal situation and facts regarding gambling or speculation, if you want to call it that, on the New York and New Orleans cotton exchanges, and the grain exchanges," said Chairman Henry. He added that the resolution was not aimed at the stock exchanges, but only to the grain and cotton exchanges.

"The gambling in food products is one of the largest questions before Congress," he said, "and the committee believes the Baltimore platform promising a curb upon such speculation and should be carried out."

FAMOUS INVENTOR HAS PASSED AWAY

George Westinghouse Dies at His New York Home.

FROM HEART DISEASE

Foremost Figure in World of Engineering Succumbs After Fifteen Month Illness—Inventor at Age of Fifteen.

New York, March 12.—George Westinghouse, a foremost figure in the engineering world, and inventor of the air-brake that bears his name, died late today at his residence here. Heart disease manifested itself about 15 months ago and the end came a few hours after it became publicly known that Mr. Westinghouse was seriously ill. He was in his 68th year. Funeral services will be held Saturday.

Westinghouse became an inventor at the age of 15, when he produced a rotary engine. Four years later he constructed a device for re-placing derailed steam cars. Then, when 21 years old, he sought the financial backing of the late Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt, for his now famous air brake, perfected after three years of labor.

"Do you mean to tell me you can stop a railroad train by wind?" demanded the commodore.

"Well, yes, inasmuch as air is wind, I suppose you are right," spoke the youth.

"I have no time to waste on fools," said the commodore, thus abruptly terminating the interview. Westinghouse sought and found capital elsewhere, manufactured his invention, and made high speed possible on railroads, revolutionizing traffic systems and inaugurating a notable era of railroad development.

For half a century Mr. Westinghouse continued to make other contributions to electrical as well as engineering advancement. His inventions and improvements had to do with railway signalling and power devices for safety and for economically conveying natural gas over long distances and using it for industrial and domestic fuel; air springs for motor vehicles of all kinds and geared turbine system for the propulsion of ships developed in collaboration with the late Admiral George W. Melville, U. S. N., and John H. McAlpine.

Received Highest Honors.

In return for his many achievements, the highest honors in the gift of technical societies and institutions of Europe and America were bestowed upon Mr. Westinghouse, European sovereigns conferring distinguished orders. As recently as last December he received from the principal engineering society of Germany, the celebrated "Grashof gold medal."

Mr. Westinghouse founded many manufacturing companies in this country and abroad. In these industries some 50,000 persons are employed and the many companies have a capitalization aggregating $200,000,000.

Mr. Westinghouse's mental alertness and activity remained unimpaired to the last. The final years of life were among the most productive. It was stated tonight on behalf of his many interests that there will be no change of policy in connection with any of the industries, which will be operated on a plan long ago made by the inventor himself.

Mr. Westinghouse and his various ventures suffered severely in the panic of 1907. In October of that year the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company went into bankruptcy from which it was released a year later, after creditors had accepted a plan of reorganization. Following that episode the control of the Westinghouse Company, and some of its subsidiaries, rested with a group of New York, Boston and Pittsburg banking interests. Westinghouse common, which had paid 10 per cent yearly from 1904 to 1907, suspended dividends altogether from the latter part of 1907 until 1912, when they were resumed on a 2 per cent basis; and last year 4 per cent was paid. According to some of his business associates, Mr. Westinghouse never recovered from the shock he received when control of his numerous enterprises was taken out of his hands. The reorganization plan was conceived by Mr. Westinghouse who urged its adoption in preference to plans submitted by eminent financiers.

Hard Working Man.

Mr. Westinghouse was unostentatious, kindly, helpful and a hard working man. It was recalled today that 30 or 40 years ago he introduced to this country the Saturday half-holiday.

Of the inventor and his work, Lord Kelvin said not long before his own death:

"George Westinghouse is in character and achievement one of the great men of our time." Of himself, Mr. Westinghouse once remarked:

"I have always known what I wanted to do, and for doing it, I owe a great deal to persistence, to a natural fondness for mathematics, and to the fact that throughout my youth I learned to work with my hands as well as my head and always have kept in practice."

George Westinghouse was born in the village of Central Bridge, near Schenectady, N. Y., October 6th, 1846, and attended the public school in Schenectady. He entered Union College, but left in 1863 to serve in the war between the States. His love for engineering led to his transfer from the army to the navy, where he became attached to the Potomac flotilla, acting as third assistant engineer.

In August, 1867, Mr. Westinghouse married Miss Marguerite Erskine Walker, who survives him, together with their one child, George, junior, who lives near Lenox, Mass. The son married Miss Violet Brocklebank, daughter of Sir Thomas and Lady Brocklebank, of Ireton Hall, Cumberland, England.

BIG SHIP TEXAS IN COMMISSION

Most Powerful Battleship Ever Built Added to Navy.

HAS HEAVY ARMAMENT

Ten Fourteen-inch Guns and Twenty-one Five-inch Guns Constitute Battery of Uncle Sam's Latest Dreadnaught.

Norfolk, Va., March 12.—The superdreadnaught Texas, the most powerful battleship ever built and latest recruit to the United States navy, was placed in formal commission here today and now is under command of Capt. A. W. Grant. The Texas left the ship yards of the Newport News Shipbuilding Company early today and proceeded to the Norfolk Navy Yard under her own steam where the big seafighter was turned over to Rear Admiral Usher, the local commandant.

Captain Grant, after assuming command of the Texas, read his orders to the officers and men composing the ship's company and in a brief address urged that they maintain their spirit of co-operation which would insure the highest efficiency in every enterprise and make the ship the symbol of success.

Just before the Texas docked here the tug Dauntless, commanded by Capt. M. F. Bradley, was caught in the heavy wash of the battleship and capsized. The crew of the tug was rescued by seamen from the United States receiving ship Richmond, which was lying off St. Helena across the stream.

Carries Big Guns.

The Texas was launched here almost two years ago. The ship carries as its principal fighting equipment a battery of ten 14-inch guns, being the first warship in the world to be equipped with guns of such large calibre; and in addition has in its main battery of twenty-oen five-inch guns. Since the 14-inch guns were placed on the Texas, a Japanese battleship has been equipped with similar armament, although 13.5-inch guns are the largest which have yet been placed on any British dreadnaught. The big guns on the Texas are arranged in five turrets, all on a central line from steam to stern and are so placed that they can be fired over each other.

In length the fighter is 573 feet with a beam 95 feet 2 1-2 inches, so that in passing through the Panama Canal locks she would have almost 15 feet to spare. Although her designed speed was 21 knots, in her trial off the Maine coast last October she did her fastest mile in 22.28 knots. She has a displacement of 27,000 tons, a horsepower of 35,000 and draws 28 feet 6 inches. Her armor belt is 11 inches thick and she has twin screw vertical, triple expansion engines. The contract price of the vessel for hull and machinery was $5,830,000; but with armament added the total cost was increased by several million.

A sister ship, the New York, is rapidly approaching completion at the New York Navy Yard.

GEORGE VANDERBILT'S WILL

Twelve-Year-Old Daughter Gets Biltmore and Five Million in Cash. Widow Gets the Rest.

New York, March 12.—The will of George W. Vanderbilt, as filed for probate here today, leaves his entire estate, estimated at $20,000,000 to his widow and his only daughter, Cornelia.

Minor bequests providing annuities aggregating $5,500 a year, are made in favor of certain relatives. There are no public bequests.

Biltmore, Mr. Vanderbilt's world famous estate in North Carolina, is left to his daughter, Cornelia, who is 12 years old. She also receives $5,000,000 in cash and is made residuary legatee.

Mrs. Vanderbilt, the widow, receives the estate at Bar Harbor, Me., the Vanderbilt home in Washington; $250,000 in cash, a life interest in a trust fund of $1,000,000, which she may dispose of at her death as she sees fit, and part of the real estate in North Carolina, known as Pisgah Forest, containing about 80,000 acres, together with the contracts for the sale of timber therefrom, estimated to produce about $50,000 a year. These bequests to Mrs. Vanderbilt are made in lieu of dower.

MISS SANDWITCH ELECTED

Nurse and Social Service Worker for Rocky Mount.

Rocky Mount, N. C., March 12.—Following the lengthy deliberation of the subject and the careful consideration of a score or more of applicants for the position, Miss Mabel Sandwitch was elected yesterday as district nurse and social service worker for the Rocky Mount Associated Charities.

Miss Sandwitch is to enter the service of the Rocky Mount charities on April 12th. The social service worker is a graduate of the general hospital of Toronto, Canada, and a post-graduate of the New York Hospital for Treatment of Infectious Diseases. In point of service Miss Sandwitch has seen two years as social service worker in the Toronto slums and three years among the mill workers of the Rosemary Mills, at Roanoke Rapids.

Hallowell, Maine, March 12.—Chas. W. Tilden, a veteran of the War Between the States, who was breveted brigadier general, for gallant services, died today. He fought with the 16th Maine Regiment, participating in many battles. He was wounded slightly twice.

ADVOCATES CAUSE IN PRISONER'S BOX

British Suffragette in Debate With Judge.

DESTROYER SENTENCED

Woman Who Slashed Valuable Picture Given Six Months—Claims Mrs. Pankhurst Being Slowly Murdered.

London, March 12.—Miss May Richardson, militant suffragette, who hacked Velasquez's Rokeby Venus, in the National gallery, was today sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

The public prosecutor said that one might well doubt whether the prisoner was in her right senses. There was, however, no medical evidence to show that she was a person not responsible for her actions.

Miss Richardson has been on a "hunger strike" since her arrest. She said her act was premeditated and she pleaded guilty.

Addressing Judge Robert Wallace, who presided over the court, Miss Richardson said:

"I am an art student, but I care more for justice than for art. I firmly believe that when the nation has shut its eyes to justice and has allowed women who are fighting for justice, to be maltreated and tortured such an action as mine should be understandable.

"The slow and premeditated murder of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst is the ultimatum which has made necessary the recent acts of her followers. The nation seems to be dead or asleep, for we women have knocked vainly at the doors of ministers, bishops, and archbishops and even the king himself.

"I know that you will sentence me. I can stand only a few months torture, but my fate makes little difference. I am really a grateful and happy woman because I have been able to live in a century in which Mrs. Pankhurst lived and because, in a slight measure I have tried to carry out what I believe in."

In Tilt With Judge.

As Judge Wallace was about to pass sentence, the following colloquy occurred:

The judge: "If the picture had been destroyed, no money could have replaced it."

Miss Richardson: "Do you realize that no money can replace Mrs. Pankhurst? She is being slowly killed."

The judge: "You have pleaded guilty and have gloried in your crime."

Miss Richardson: "I don't say that. I think it a shame I had to consider it my duty to do it."

The judge: "It is my duty to pass sentence of six months imprisonment. I recognize that this sentence is totally inadequate, but it is the maximum sentence for damaging works of art. If the offense had been window breaking I could have given the prisoner 18 months."

Miss Richardson looked ill and it was suggested in some quarters that the precarious state of her health had been the reason for the taking of the unusual course of hurrying the trial. The charge against the prisoner was "malacious damage to a picture."

Vandalism of the militant suffrage cause caused the closing today of many public buildings in addition to those who locked their doors yesterday.

Popular resentment in sympathy with suffragette outrages was reflected again today in parliament. A number of questioners urged the home secretary not to release such a dangerous character as Miss Richardson.

San Francisco, March 12.—Walter A. McCreery, millionaire poloist, was restored to his legal competency today by Superior Judge Frank Dunne, when McCreery's attorney informed the court that H. H. McPike, McCreery's guardian, and all of the relatives, were willing to withdraw their objections to such procedure.

OUTLINES

Prospects for another White House wedding are bright, according to reports current about Washington. The rumor says that Secretary McAdoo and Miss Eleanor Wilson are engaged to be married in June.

The battleship Texas, Uncle Sam's latest addition to his navy, is the most powerful dreadnaught afloat. She carries ten 14-inch guns, the largest ever placed on a fighting vessel.

The will of the late George Vanderbilt has been filed for probate. His 12-year-old daughter, Cornelia, gets the Biltmore estate and $5,000,000 in cash. The remainder of his possessions go to his widow.

The fire at Richmond, which broke out in the downtown district early yesterday morning was gotten under control after two hours' hard fighting by the fire department. The total damage amounted to $150,000.

President Wilson signed the Alaska Railway bill authorizing the building of a thousand-mile, government-owned railroad in the icy territory.

George Westinghouse, whose name will go down in history as the inventor of the airbrake which bears his name, died at his New York home yesterday afternoon.

The speech of Ambassador Page in London, in which he referred to the Panama Canal and the Monroe Doctrine in a light vein has drawn the ire of the Senate who passed a resolution calling upon him for an explanation.

New York markets: Money on call steady 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 3-4, closing 1 3-4 to 2. Time loans firm. Flour steady. Wheat irregular, No. 2 red, 105, No. 1 Northern Duluth 102 3-4. Corn steady. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet. Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 13.20; gulf 13.45.

SPEECH OF AMBASSADOR PAGE DRAWS SENATE'S IRE

WILSON SIGNS BILL

Extends Hand of Real Helpfulness to Alaska.

A Thousand-mile Government-owned Railroad Will be Built In Alaska Secretary Lane Ready to Commence Work.

Washington, March 12.—President Wilson today extended what he termed "the hand of real helpfulness and brotherhood to Alaska" when he signed the bill authorizing the expenditure of $35,000,000 for the first government-owned railroad constructed by the United States.

Secretary Lane, a group of Senators and Representatives and members of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce stood beside the President as he affixed his signature to the act. The President was in a happy mood and laying one souvenir pen aside to use another, smilingly remarked: "I'll change engines."

When the bill had been signed the President made a brief speech.

"I want to say," said the President, "how sincere my gratification is in the completion of this measure and its successful passage. I feel that we have at least reached out the hand of real helpfulness and brotherhood to Alaska, which will no wlink it to us by many bonds that will be valuable to both sides. This is a consummation that I have been hoping might arrive in my administration and that it has come so soon is to me very delightful."

Secretary Lane immediately afterward had a long talk with the President about the selection of engineers for the task. Though Colonel Goethals had been mentioned for the work, it is unlikely that he will be through with the Panama Canal in time for the present, undertaking which Mr. Lane intends to get into operation at once.

The secretary said the enactment of the railroad bill will be followed by the passage of the Alaska leasing bill which would mean the carrying out of the administration programme for the department of Alaska in an incredibly short time. He added that an attempt would be made to gather the working force this year.

The beginning of the project will signalize a new method of government-stimulus for the opening of virgin territory, a contrast to the government bounties and guarantee of bonds which in pioneer days of the West, were used by the Federal government to encourage railroad building.

Today's law had a comparatively short history, though the subject has been agitated for many years. Early last year, Secretary Lane endorsed the bill and obtained the support of the President to make it an administration measure. Administration leaders in Congress during the debate that followed made it clear that the bill was not to be construed as an endorsement of the principle of government ownership of railroads, but was intended to fit a special case and bring to Alaska private capital and people to develop its resources.

JOINT ULTIMATUM ISSUED

Sheriffs and District Attorneys for Four Counties Agree in Kelly Army Controversy.

Sacramento, Cal., March 12.—Sheriffs and district attorneys of four California counties reached an agreement today regarding the problem of the unemployed and their edict was delivered as a joint ultimatum.

The six or seven hundred men remaining of the "army which left San Francisco last week under "General" Charles Kelley, on a proposed transcontinental march to Washington, D. C., must disperse immediately.

"If they are willing to scatter peaceably in bands of not more than 50, the citizens' committee of Sacramento will pay their fares to any point within a radius of 50 miles. They will not be permitted to march in a body anywhere, and if they are not willing to disband the authorities will be forced to 'take other measures'."

A committee of two, representing the two factions of the army, replied that they can come to no decision before tomorrow. Further, they were not authorized to assume authority by the mass meeting which had instructed them.

Speaking for the associated sheriffs and district attorneys of Sacramento, Yolo, Colano and Contra Costa counties, E. W. Armfield, attorney for the West Sacramento Company, on whose property the army is tenting, replied that he would deliver the communication as it had been given him. No action was taken tonight. Both for the effect on public sentiment and for tactical reasons, officials thought it unwise to rush the men in the confusion of darkness. It is said the action decided on for tomorrow is to "cut out" bunches of 20, 30, or 50 men, herd them to the railroad tracks and bundle them into cars. Firemen, policemen and deputy sheriffs will guard the bridges to Sacramento.

RICHMOND FIRE WAS SUCCESSFULLY HANDLED.

Blaze Which Threatened City Did $150,000 Damage.

Richmond, Va., March 12.—The fire which early this morning threatened destruction of the entire business section of this city was gotten under control after two hours' of hard fighting by the entire fire department. The flames which were discovered in a tobacco manufacturing plant at 1:30 did a total damage of $150,000, consuming both stock and building.

Resolution Passed Calling Upon Him to Explain Utterances.

WAS MADE IMPROMPTU

References to Panama Canal and Monroe Doctrine Were Made In Light Vein—Ambassador Awaits News From Capital.

Washington, March 12.—Walter Hines Page, American ambassador to Great Britain, was made the target of inquiry today in a resolution adopted by the Senate, calling on the Secretary of State to investigate alleged public assertions by the ambassador relative to the Monroe Doctrine and the Panama Canal.

Senator Chamberlain, aroused over reports of a speech by Ambassador Page last night in London before the Associated Chambers of Commerce, introduced the resolution and his request for immediate consideration resulted in its adoption without debate.

The resolution requests the Secretary of State to procure a copy for the use of the Senate, of Ambassador Page's address and to call on the ambassador for evidence on which he based the alleged statement that "it added greatly to the pleasure of the people of the United States in the building of the Panama Canal to know that the British would profit most by its use."

Particular request is made for a verbatim report of that portion of the American ambassador's address in which he is reported to have defined the Monroe Doctrine as meaning merely "that the United States would prefer that no European governments would gain more land in the new world."

Delivered Extemporaneously.

After tho resolution had been adopted Senators heard of dispatches from London saying the ambassador's address was delivered extemporaneously late in the evening, and not reported verbatim, and quoting Mr. Page as explaining that his reference to British use of the Panama Canal was in a light vein. It was taken for granted at the capitol, however, that in response to the State Department's request, the mabassador would furnish his recollection of just what he had said, with the desired explanation.

No attempt to oppose the resolution was made when Senator Chamberlain offered it, the usual custom being to pass such measures as a matter of course. Later in the day a similar resolution was introduced in the House by Representative Murray, of Oklahoma, a Democrat, but it did not get before the body for discussion or action.

There was no official comment on the speech or action of the Senate. In an informal discussion at the White House, President Wilson indicated that the Monroe Doctrine was as much a part of the American foreign policy today as a hundred years ago. He did not express an opinion concerning the ambassador's speech.

The Senate resolution had not reached Secretary Bryan tonight. According to custom, if Ambassador Page does not forestall the action by voluntarily forwarding an explanation of the incident, the resolution will be cabled to him tomorrow, as soon as it is sent to the State Department.

Representative Murray's resolution would ask the State Department whether "a new American policy of subjecting American zeal to the selfish interests of the nations of Europe, is the fundamental reason for the demand to repeal the law now in force, exempting American vessels conducting a coastwise trade from canal tolls."

Page Much Surprised.

London, March 12.—Walter Hines Page, United States ambassador, was surprised when told today of the Senate resolution in connection with his speech last night. He declined to discuss the matter until he had received an official demand for an explanation. He put this question to the interviewer:

"The speech was innocent enough, wasn't it?"

Asked whether objection might be taken to the last sentence of his speech, referring to the Panama Canal, Mr. Page replied that that was a pleasantry.

The ambassador's remarks were extemporaneous, and no verbatim reports were made. The London newspapers differ slightly in the wording of the ambassador's remarks regarding Panama and Central American investments.

Ambassador Page said that the most accurate report of his speech was contained in the "Daily Telegraph" from which the essential parts are quoted verbatim, as follows:

"The people of the United States regarded the British Empire as the guardian of freedom in all parts of the world and as a promoter of trade.

"He would not say that the United States had constructed the Panama Canal for British people, but it added greatly to the pleasure of building it that the British people would make the most profit out of it.

The New Tariff Law.

"He could say a similar thing about the recent lowering of the American tariff. It was not lowered in order to please the British people, but because it was considered economically sound. Nevertheless, it added to the pleasure of doing it when he reflected that America would thereby receive more trade from this country.

"Mr. Page here made a lengthy reference to the trading between England and America, especially in cotton about which he said:

"'I hope in future it will be sent here in better grading and better shape.'

"The ambassador proceeded that he wished to correct an impression about the attitude of the United States government concerning British investments in States in Central America,

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RITCHIE WON FROM WOLGAST BY SHADE

Former Champion Forced to Back Away From Blows.

TOOK COUNT OF FOUR

Unable to Land on Belt Holder, ex-World's Champion Lightweight Took Heavy Punishment from His Adversary.

Milwoukee, Wis., March 12.—Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, earned a shade over Ad Wolgast, former champion, in their ten-round bout here tonight.

The champion outboxed the Michigan boy in five rounds and in the seventh had Wolgast backing away from his punches. Wolgast sank to one knee when Ritchie landed a shower of blows on his stomach and took the count of four. He later rushed at the champion, but Ritchie danced away.

Twice during the bout Wolgast was warned by Referee Stout for his rough work in clinches. In the eighth and ninth rouds Ritchie clearly outboxed the former champion.

Wolgast was fouled in the seventh, when the champion delivered a hard blow to the Michigan's groin, according to a statement by Dr. C. A. Morter, a member of the State boxing commission, after Wolgast went to his dressing room and underwent an examination.

As it is against the Wisconsin law to render a decision, the result only can be decided by the newspaper writers. Two Milwaukee morning papers call the contest a draw, while all the Chicago morning papers with one exception, give Ritchie a shade. The single Chicago paper called it a draw.

Ritchie exactly made the stipulated weight, 135 pounds, at 5 o'clock. Wolgast was a half pound under weight.

The auditorium, which has a seating capacity of 10,000 persons, was packed when preliminaries began.

When the champion and the ex-champion came to the center of the ring for the first round, they wasted little time in sparring for openings. Wolgast got a shade the better of the first round. Ritchie increased the pace in the second, which was his round. The third was even.

Wolgast had the better of the fourth and fifth rounds. Ritchie, however, had the sixth round by a good margin.

Ritchie checked Wolgast's rush in the seventh with a hard left, a terrific right swing to the face and left to the solar plexus, which sent Wolgast down for the count of four. He showered Wolgast with swings in an effort to put him out. Ritchie also took the eighth and continued to hold the lead in the ninth. His blows were the cleaner and he landed oftener than Wolgast, who was warned for rough work in the clinches.

Wolgast made a desperate effort in the 10th, but his blows semed to lack steam. Ritchie staggered him with a righ upper cut.

DOCTORS HOLD TO THEIR DATE

Medical Association Can Not Give Way to Democratic State Convention in Raleigh.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 12.—The executive committee of the North Carolina Medical Association here today decided it is impossible to change the dates of the society's annual convention here in June so as not to conflict with the date, June 17, of the State Democratic convention.

Now it is up to the State Democratic executive committee to fix another date, probably June 24th, for the State convention. To do this, Chairman Warren will have at least to get proxies of the 60-odd committeemen.

The doctors say the medical organizations are so linked up in county, State and National organization that one of the conventions cannot be disturbed without interfering with the others. The State Board of Medical Examiners will be in session here a week prior to June 16-18 to examine the applicants for license to practice. These examinations are arranged to suit the colleges in all parts of the country where students are preparing for the examinations and the dates of the examination period are definitely and finally settled in such way that to change would be a most serious matter for those to be examined.

Also the county convention adjustment for sending delegates to the State convention, and the State convention to the National convention in their turn, would be completely demoralized and serious complications could but result from changed dates for the medical society convention.

MAYOR MITCHELL WANTS LAWS.

Pending Bills Will Straighten Out New York Police Department.

New York, March 12.—"Give us these laws and we can and will give you effective and efficient police administration. Give us these laws and we can and will get rid of the 'system.'"

So declared Mayor John Purroy Mitchel today referring to the bills pending at Albany for changes in the laws affecting this city's police.

Mayor Mitchel said the passage of the bills would insure Colonel George W. Goethals for the head of the police department, he said.

PHILS VS. SKEETERS TODAY

First Game With Jersey City Postponed Yesterday—Game Called for 3:30 This Afternoon.

The local weatherworks the slightly encouraging last night that clear w... prevail today, althou... only a slowly risin... so that the first game ... sey City "Skeeters" ... will be pulled off t... game being called ... P. M.

The Jerse... ed in the city yesterday ... and were housed at the Or... oughout the day, nobody venturin... out to the Sunset Park diamond. Manager Hulswitt brought 18 "Insects" with him to Wilmington, and will put into the games here today and tomorrow only the best material from this bunch, as he is eager to cop at least one of the two games—maybe both, who knows?

The Jerseyites, according to advices from Durham, have been exhibiting some of the classiest ball playing that has ever been seen in North Carolina, and the Phillies will have to play some if they maintain their determination not to lose a game on the local diamond. Manager Hulswitt stated last night that his team is now, with little over one week's practice, capable of playing winning ball against almost any team, and he is highly flattered at the showing his men have made thus far.

The rain of night before last was not sufficient to affect the condition of the diamond at Sunset Park, tending to settle somewhat the sandy outfield, and will be in excellent condition for the game this afternoon. The Phils, although they will probably inject two or three twirlers into the game, will probably start off with Alexander the Great, and if he twirls as much as three innings it will be worth anyone's time and money.

Manager Hulswitt last night announced the following tentative lineup for this afternoon's game:

Frell, centerfield; Cooper, rightfield; Bues, third base; Fisher, left field; Barry, first base; Koebler, second base; Troy, shortstop; Johnson, catcher; Thompson and Verbaut, pitchers.

The game will start at 3:30, and a convenient car schedule will be maintained starting at 3 o'clock. The admission to the grounds will be 50 cents, with 25 cents additional for the grandstand.

The game this afternoon will be honored with the presence of Governor John K. Tener, President Baker, of the Phillies, and the party of 12 which will arrive in the city this morning.

FORMER PHILLIE VISITS THE CAMP

Billie Shettsline and Charlie Dooin were all smiles last evening, proudly piloting around a visitor to the camp, who is none other than "Kitty" Bransford, former Phil., now manager of the Montreal baseball club, of the International League. The older members of the Phillie team were also tickled to welcome their old teammate for a short stay at the training camp.

"Kitty" (for he is known by no other name around the hotel), arrived yesterday morning, and is on his way to Norwood, N. C., where the Montreal team reports for training next Sunday. He was for many years a member of the Philly team, graduating from there to the managerial job of the Montreal club. He will remain in the city until Saturday, and will go direct to Norwood to join his club. He will witness the game this afternoon between the Phillies and the Jersey City club.

MEETING OF CITY LEAGUE

Held Last Night at W. L. I.—Plans Discussed.

A meeting of representatives of the four teams composing the City League, was held at the Wilmington Light Infantry Armory last evening, at which time a number of matters pertaining to the approaching season's series were discussed.

Ground rules were drawn up and adopted and there was a general discussion as to whether the league should use the diamond at Hilton or the new diamond at Sunset Park. It was practically decided to use the Sunset Park diamond, although this decision was not final. A number of other matters were also discussed.

The season for the City League opens Saturday, May 2nd, with two games. The players on the different teams have already put in some practice work, and from this time on they will take advantage of every hour of spare time to get in condition.

THREE GAMES TONIGHT.

Commercial League Contests at the Y. M. C. A.

Three games of basketball are scheduled at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium tonight in the Commercial League series. Vollers is booked to meet Jacobi; Dosher will play Yates, and Polvogt and Baxter will cross arms.

After tonight's games, only two more sets of games will be played, as the contests will be hard fought, with the leading teams striving to maintain their advantage and the tail enders working for a place nearer the top of the percentage column. There is a possibility that the result of tonight's games may have a deciding effect upon the championship.

No admission is charged and a cordial invitation is extended the public to be present and witness the sport.

DEATHS EXCEED BIRTHS.

Greensboro's Vital Statistics for the Month of February.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., March 12.—Statistics show that the number of deaths in Greensboro for the year ending March 1st exceeded the number of births by more than 100. There were 353 deaths, of which 178 were white and 175 negroes.

The births were 252, 157 white and 95 negroes. The comparison of deaths and births among the negroes is startling, the death rate being nearly three times as great as the death rate. In the county for six months the births were 97 and the deaths 46.

Houston Defeated Yanks.

Houston, Texas, March 12.—The Houston Texas League club today defeated the New York American "regulars" 8 to 6.

Houston	8	13	1
New York	6	12	3

Ray, Ware and S. Allen, Burch; McHale, Caldwell, Burr and Rogers.

BASEBALL TODAY.

Sunset Park—Philadelphia Nationals vs. Jersey City—3 o'clock.

(advertisement.)

... NEXT WEEK.

... and Impersonator at ... Brigade.

...e great entertainer who ...he Boys' Brigade recent... ...oss Crane, the cartoonist, ...appear there next Tuesday ...he sixth number of the Ly... ...urse: "He presents the best ...nment I have ever seen on the ...m platform." This exceedingly ...ring testimonial coming from so ...h an authority as Elias Day, who ...s himself a coach of some of the best entertainers on the lyceum platform of the present day, is calculated to receive unusual attention and augurs well for the pleasure of those who attend this entertainment next week.

Ross Crane is called a cartoonist and he deserves the title, as he was formerly a cartoonist on a metropolitan newspaper and his drawings have the bigness, swiftness and vitality which characterizes the newspaper cartoons. He draws a multitude of pictures, in colors, on immense sheets of tinted paper, portraits, caricatures, illustrations of characters, landscapes beautiful in the extreme and marvelous transformation scenes, all drawn with surpassing speed, vigor and accuracy. He also presents piano burlesques at which people laugh until their sides ache over these imitations, because of their truthfulness. Little Ada May and her practicing is in almost every household. The young man who sings bass and slides off the key and the young lady and her vocal torture, she who chews gum and dabs it under the piano, these and more are in Ross Crane's collection. In his illustrated poems the voice of the poet speaks. The artist portrays on the canvass a picture of striking beauty, illustrating, while interpreting its motive. And then seating himself at the piano, softly touches the keys while impressively reciting the poem. Thus is the crowning touch of beauty placed upon a programme filled with light and beauty. The sale of reserved seat tickets will open on Monday morning at Munson's. A few single admission tickets will be sold. The price will be 50 cents.

ATHLETICS DEFEATED BY CHICAGO CUBS

Tampa, Fla., March 12.—The Philadelphia American League team, world's champions, today was defeated here by the Chicago National League club by a score of 3 to 2. The game lasted ten innings. Good baseball was played by both teams.

Chicago	3	7	5
Philadelphia	2	8	3

Humphries, Pierce and Archer; Pennock, Plank, Baldwin and Schang.

PRACTICAL CHARITY BY MRS. DOOIN.

Two Ragamuffins Sporting New Clothes Through Her.

The following is from the Philadelphia North American, under a Wilmington date line of the 10th:

"Some practical charity was done by Mrs. Robert McHugh and Mrs. Dooin today. They found on the Cape Fear golf links two white ragamuffins. Their clothes were so tattered that they touched the hearts of the ladies. They took the boys to the city and purchased them complete outfits from feet to head. Louis Stein, of A. David & Co., had charge of the outfitting, and the boys were completely transformed when he had finished."

BASEBALL TODAY.

Sunset Park—Philadelphia Nationals vs. Jersey City—3 o'clock.

(advertisement.)

The Harvest of Health

Wheat flour made into perfectly fermented light bread yields more nourishment with less tax on the digestion than any other food.

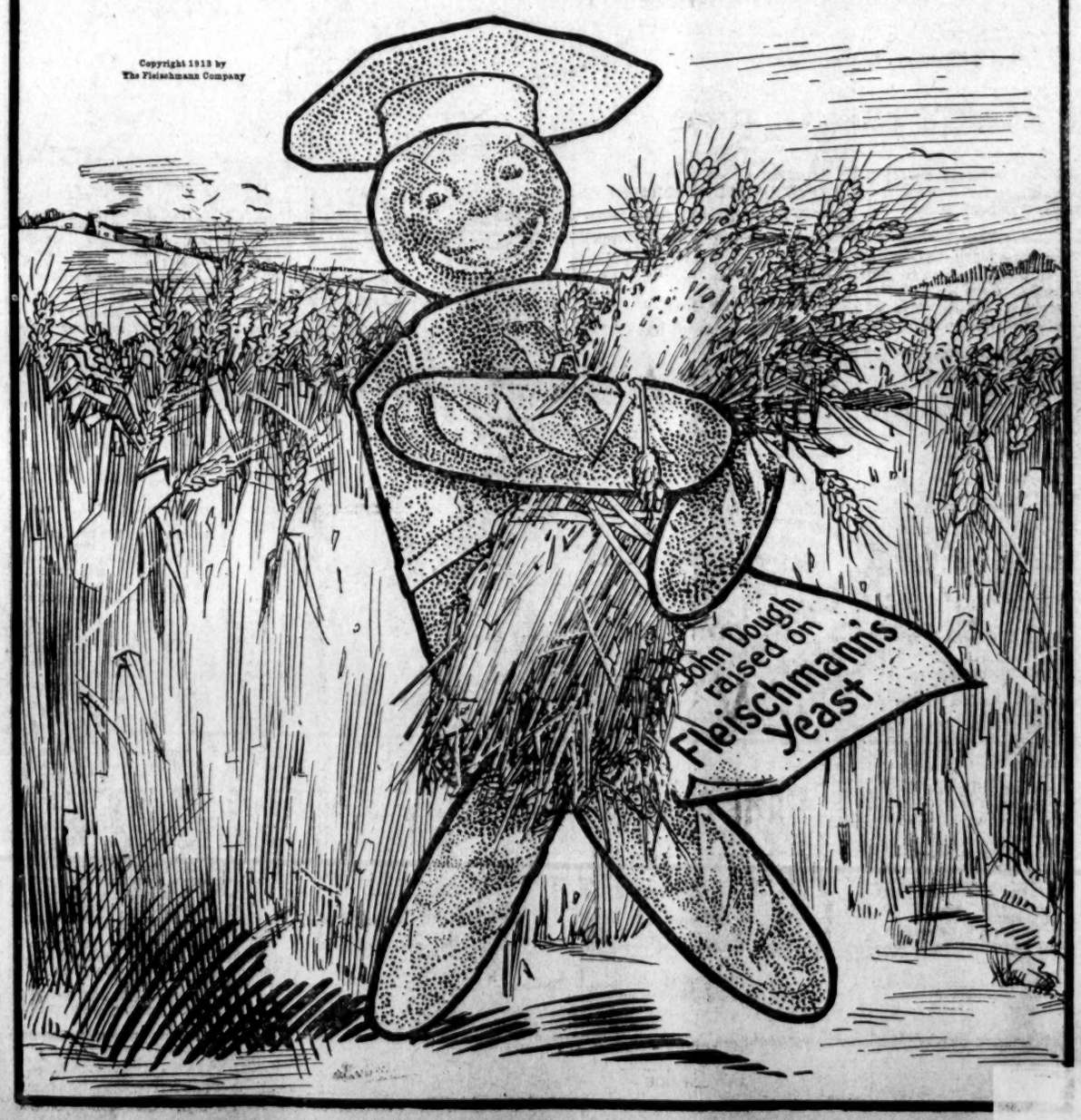
That's why those who eat lots of light bread are generally the healthiest people. They get all the nourishment their bodies require without loading their stomachs and clogging their systems with heavy foods, of which a large percentage is waste.

You should eat more light bread

for your health's sake and for the sake of economy. You'll be surprised at the way you can cut down your living cost by eating more light bread and less high-cost foods—and you'll be all the better for it physically. Try it—and to be sure that you get the best light bread—the lightest and most digestible kind,

Eat bread made with FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST

Ask your grocer or baker for the new Fleischmann book, "Good Things to Eat Made with Bread," containing recipes for many delightful and economical dishes.



Here's to Your Health!

Pan Dandy BREAD

Your health depends largely upon what you eat. Rich, soggy, heavy foods clog your system, produce indigestion and lower your vitality.

Pan Dandy BREAD

on the other hand, nourishes, strengthens and builds you up. No one ever became sick from eating too much Pan-Dandy.

Wheat, in the first place, has been the mainstay of mankind for centuries back. And light bread is the finest and best form in which wheat can be prepared. All the original nutriment in the wheat is retained when it is made into Pan-Dandy Bread, and it is presented in a form easy to digest and delightful to eat.

Ask your grocer for Pan-Dandy the next time you buy bread. Wrapped at our ovens—reaches you clean.

GLOBE BAKING CO.

Wilmington, N. C.

PUZZLE FOR JUDGE BOND

Grand Jury of Nash Makes Report Opposite That of Edgecombe Jury As to Convicts.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., March 11.—What Judge W. M. Bond may believe as the result of the last two grand jury reports that he has received during the last Superior court in Edgecombe and Nash counties, respectively, would be largely problematical and evidently on this occasion of his first visit his confidence in the reports of such bodies has been shaken in a measure. Probably never before in the history of the State has the grand jury of one county investigated a condition and with a sweeping denunciation declared that it was all bad, as in the case of the Edgecombe investigation of the Rocky Mount road district's stockade and treatment of prisoners, while within less than a week the same judge instituted an investigation in the adjoining county, of the same institution, through a grand jury that reports it all good. The latter report further expresses a disbelief in the statement of the previous grand jury, and that it was impossible for it to have been all bad as the previous jury had found it.

It is just this condition that has come about in the investigation under the direction of Judge W. M. Bond, in Nash and Edgecombe, and last week among other charges that Foreman Foxhall and 12 Edgecombe jurors lodged against the Rocky Mount road district, the prisoners at times forced to go hungry, sleep without enough to cover and protection against the cold, forced to sleep in wet clothing when they may come in out of the rain, and that negroes and whites are forced to wash in the same tubs made from molasses barrels sawed in two, and forced to bathe in the same water. These were specific charges in addition to a reported lack of sanitation throughout and an alleged repulsive condition about the kitchen. All of this in addition to a whipping of prisoners with a gritty lash until the blood came.

Judge Bond, as one of his first tasks of the criminal session of Nash court this week, ordered a rigid investigation of conditions of the stockade and camp. The Nash county jury, headed by Mr. Gaston Battle, as foreman, spent much of Tuesday investigating conditions, and they examined no less than a dozen witnesses, including the stockade physician, who declared that there had never been a contagious disease in the camp and that he had never found a prisoner whose body indicated any such lashing. He told the Nash county grand jury he visited the camp on an average of once a week. In the matter of the food supply, it was pointed out that much meat was raised. Two hundred hens were kept that supplied eggs for the table of prisoners and men alike; squabs were supplied the sick and more than 2,000 chickens were consumed during the year in addition to a cow being kept for milk for the men's coffee and butter for the table. As to the change of menu, it came three times a week, and a man was always given all that he wanted to eat, and if perchance it might not be on the table it was forthcoming with the request always. As for the sleeping in wet clothing, the Nash county grand jurors found them equipped with storm coats, fleeced lined, and the prisoners never sleep in wet clothing and instead sleep in underclothing, and while in winter sometimes two prisoners bathe at the same time in the same tub of water, it is at their own volition, while in the summer they always bathe in running water. The impossibility of the men sleeping cold was explained in a system of punch clock and a watchman and a trusty to keep a fire going when it was needed, and the men were always made comfortable. As to the whipping there were but 14 lashes during the year, embracing the whipping of two men, one with four lashes and the other with ten. In closing, the Nash jury said:

"The personnel of the road committee coupled with the fact that Mr. Jeffries personally inspected the camp each day or has 'phone communication with the superintendent, warrants us in the belief that conditions are as they should be. The high standing of Messrs. W. E. Jeffries, W. S. Wilkinson, P. C. Shore, W. H. Horne, P. C. Vestal and Lieut. Gov. Daughtridge, these men who have charge of matters pertaining to the district, preclude the idea that conditions are other than that they should. They would not stand for it."

POLICE ACTIVE.

Number of Arrests Made Yesterday and Last Night.

Around the carnival grounds at Fourth and Castle streets last night the police seem to have been especially active. Albert Winberg, a white boy, was arrested by Policemen B. W. Jacobs and Frank George on a charge of having hit a negro boy, named James Moore, with a bottle. The injured boy had been hit on the head, inflicting a considerable flesh wound. The father of the white boy arranged his bond for his appearance before the Recorder today.

James Campbell, colored, was arrested at the same place by Policeman Leon George on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. William Ingram, colored, was arrested by Special Officer A. T. Fowler at the same place on a charge of carrying concealed weapons.

Policeman D. W. Coleman picked up three negroes yesterday afternoon at Front and Dawson streets, who are alleged to have been gambling. Their names are Rufus Howe, J. E. Palen and Isaac Andrews. They spent the night in the city prison.

When Policeman J. R. Minshew started to work last night he heard a rock come zipping by in close proximity to his head, but thought that it was his imagination working vividly on account of the brisk weather. Presently another zipped closer and hit him squarely on the side of the head. He investigated and found that a young boy was chunking rocks in that direction because he thought the policeman was another person. The matter will be looked into further today with the result that the parents of the child will probably administer a sound chastisement of the aforesaid boy.

YOU SAVE MONEY

When you buy Foley's Honey and Tar Compound because just a few doses stops the cough and heals the cold, one bottle lasts a long time, and the last dose is as good as the first. Mrs. S. S. S., 20 VanBuren St., Kingston, N. Y., says: "Father had lagrippe and his cough was something terrible and he could not sleep. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stopped his coughing, but it brought my voice back to me after a severe case of bronchitis and laryngitis"—Robt R. Bellamy. (advertisement)

..Theatrical..

"One of the greatest acts in vaudeville." That is the claim made for the wonderful act, Tiedbor's Seals, the headliner act now running at the Victoria Theatre, the home of Keith Vaudeville, and the claim is well, aye, ably sustained in the opinion of every one who attended yesterday's performances. The seals, five in number, appear almost human. Under the direction of their master, Prof. Tiedbor, they do some remarkable tricks; acts that even mortal man cannot do. The seals do acts of juggling, tossing balls and firebrands about in skilful manner; walk the rope, play musical instruments and do other most astonishing things.

There are plenty of other big features of the new show. The Three Whalens, one of the cleverest and most popular acts in vaudeville, are also on the bill.

The noted comedy duo, Mardo and Hunter, is also a topliner. These clever folks are presenting a rousing comedy playlet entitled, "The Crazy Recruit." That charming, pretty and dashing comedienne, Anna Palmer, is also a feature of the present bill, and she had to respond to repeated encores at each performance yesterday. In addition to all this joy, there are new photoplays and Prof. Brown's superb Victoria orchestra.

A Large Audience Indicated.

The demand for seats for the engagement of Frederic Thompson's production of "Brewster's Millions" at the Academy of Music, March 18th, indicates the widespread interest that is being manifested in the engagement of the dramatic version of George Barr McCutcheon's famous tale of frenzied finance. From present appearances, the play will meet with the same success that has characterized its eventful runs in every city in the country. The big feature of the play, of course, is the realistic yacht scene, in the third act, a marvel of stagecraft in which Frederic Thompson has fairly outdone his wonderful ingenuity as a producer. This great third act scene shows Brewster's yacht at anchor rolling with the tide, with the lights, of a port in the distance and an occasional flash of green wave, till the illusion is enough to afflict a sensitive person with mal-de-mer. A storm comes up and here it seems as if the very limits of stage realism have been reached and surpassed. Sullen, saffron colored storm clouds scurry across the scene, the yacht tosses and pitches, weighs anchor and steams off, the shores gradually receding. Here it is that Frederic Thompson has shown his mastery of mechanical and electrical effects.

A new production has been especially prepared for this season's tour, the scenic equipment will be elaborate and complete, the same as that shown during its long run in New York and Chicago.

All Brightness at the Grand.

It's true the weather scowled yesterday, but all was brightness at the Grand Theatre. It's the solid comfort of the Grand, as well as the big shows, that makes such a hit. So today, if the day is cold, remember that there is always a warm welcome, a warm interior and big show at the Grand. The Grand management has made special preparations for today, and it will be a red letter Friday in the history of "movies" in Wilmington.

Today's great show is headed by Kalem's masterpiece, "The Pale Face Brave." It is the greatest Western story ever made into moving pictures, and will stir the blood all the way through. It is in two big parts and a cast of leading artists appears. It is a story with a thrill every second. Don't miss it.

"Love's Old Dream," is a delightful Vitagraph; one of the sweetest of all stories. It's a merry ha, ha, too. It tells of a bachelor's love for a young maiden, and her aunt's attempt to cut her out.

Selig's "The Charmed Arrow" is another film with a punch and that every one should see. Bear in mind, too, there is the Wurlitzer Orchestra at the Grand, the premier of them all.

At the Bijou Today.

"Our Mutual Girl" will be on the board today. You've been waiting for her for some time, and now that she is here, you'll all be at the Bijou to welcome her. Our Mutual Girl is the most entrancing little beauty that has ever adorned the photoplay stage, and the Paris creations which she will parade before you will make you open your eyes. Nothing like them has ever been seen outside of the exclusive fashion centers before.

"Our Mutual Girl" meets some of the biggest people in this country, talks with them, eats with them, rides with them. She's at home and welcome anywhere she goes. Don't fail to be there early if you want a seat today or tonight.

"The Serpent in Eden" is another leader for today, a big two-reel hand colored production. The artist who deserts the girl who loves him and saved him from starvation, her self-sacrifice, and other stirring scenes go to make one of the most interesting screen stories you have even seen, and every inch of it has been hand colored by an expert artist.

This is undoubtedly the biggest day in the history of the Bijou, and crowded houses will be the order at every show.

PREPARING FOR THE MISSION CANVASS.

Prof. R. E. Gaines, of Richmond, Va., Will Arrive Today.

Prof. R. E. Gaines, of Richmond, Va., is expected to arrive in Wilmington this morning for the purpose of spending several days here, taking part in conferences and meetings preparatory to the every-member canvass for missions which will be conducted by the churches on the afternoon of March 22nd. Professor Gaines will meet the members of the steering committee from the different churches tonight at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the Y. M. C. A.

Professor Gaines was at the Laymen's Missionary Conference held here the third week in January being the team leader of the corps of speakers which took part in the conference. At that time it was decided to make Wilmington, if possible, one of the demonstration cities of the South as to the results that can be obtained by the every-member canvass. Professor Gaines stated at that time that he would return to Wilmington and aid in the canvass.

Rev. R. L. Patton, of Atlanta, Ga., who was also here at the missionary rally, is expected to arrive tomorrow and will remain in the city until after the 22nd. The coming of Dr. Patton and Professor Gaines will serve to arouse greater interest in the canvass.

Committees from the different churches have been appointed and they will call upon every member of their respective churches to give them an opportunity for contributing to missions. Some of the churches have already had their canvass.

CHARTERS ISSUED.

Raleigh, N. C., March 12.—A charter is issued for the Alpha Omega Fraternity, Inc., of Durham, chartered without capital stock for establishing grand lodge and councils of the order, the principal grand officers and incorporators being A. B. Ward, W. A. Truman and H. C. Harris.

Another charter is for the Washington-Beaufort Land Co., of Washington, N. C., capital $120,000 authorized and $6,000 subscribed by Norwood L. Simond and others for land development purposes.

FOUR-INCH SNOW IN RALEIGH YESTERDAY.

But Sunshine and High Temperature Turns It to Slush.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 12.—The people of Raleigh awoke this morning to find a four-inch snow on the ground and the flakes still falling at a rapid rate. However, the clouds lifted early in the day and rising temperature gave the snowfall a quick and rapid start at melting, so that sloppy conditions underfoot are the biggest discomfort.

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Mother's Friend, a famous external remedy, is the only one known that is able to reach all the different parts involved. It

is a penetrating application after the formula of a noted family doctor, and lubricates every muscle, nerve, tissue or tendon affected. It goes directly to the strained portions and gently but surely relieves all tendency to soreness or strain.

By its daily use there will be no pain, no distress, no nausea, no danger of laceration or other accident, and the period will be one of supreme comfort and joyful anticipation.

To all young women Mother's Friend is one of the greatest of all helpful influences, for it robs childbirth of all its agonies and dangers, dispels all the doubt and dread, all sense of fear, and thus enables the mind and body to await the greatest event in a woman's life with untrammeled gladness.

Mother's Friend is a most cherished remedy, in thousands of homes, and is of such peculiar merit and value as to make it essentially one to be recommended by all women.

You will find it on sale at all drug stores at $1.00 a bottle, or the druggist will gladly get it for you if you insist upon it. Mother's Friend is prepared only by the Bradfield Regulator Co., 137 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., who will send you by mail, sealed, a very instructive book to expectant mothers. Write for it today.

REGISTRATION AND ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an Election has been ordered by the Council of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of said city the question of an issue of bonds for the purpose of acquiring wharf property and transportation terminals in said city, as authorized by an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, being Chapter 181 of the Private Laws, enacted at the session of said General Assembly, held in 1911. The question to be voted upon is: "Shall the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, issue bonds in an amount not exceeding Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of acquiring wharf property and other transportation terminals?"

Said election will be held on the 24th day of March, 1914, during the hours and in the manner prescribed by law, and at the places hereinafter named.

A new registration has been ordered by the Council, and all voters desiring and entitled to vote in said election are hereby notified thereof. Registration books will be opened on the 21st day of February 1914, and be closed on the 23rd day of March, 1914.

Registrars will be in attendance at the polling places hereinafter specified for their respective wards, on Saturdays, to wit: February 21st, February 28th, March 7th and March 14th.

POLLING PLACES.

First Ward, First Precinct—Polling place, Kerr's store.

First Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place, corner 4th and Campbell.

Second Ward—Polling place, Court House.

Third Ward—Polling place, corner 8th and Princess.

Fourth Ward—Polling place, 104 Dock street.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct—Polling place, corner 5th and Castle.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place, corner 6th and Castle.

REGISTRARS AND JUDGES.

First Ward, First Precinct—Registrar, Willie Kerr. Judges: L. F. Harper, R. S. Toler.

First Ward, Second Precinct—Registrar, P. J. Breen. Judges: W. H. Howe, Robert Green.

Second Ward—Registrar, Thomas Torpy. Judges: Louis Bunting, P. M. Holmes.

Third Ward—Registrar, A. G. Hankins. Judges: Thos. Rowell, Walter Penny.

Fourth Ward—Registrar, A. A. Dock. Judges: Geo. Grotgen, Harry Pyle.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct—Registrar, J. R. Davis. Judges: W. L. Tharp, M. M. Parker.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct—Registrar, S. W. Ketchum. Judges: J. W. Costin, W. H. Biddle.

On Saturday, March 21st, 1914, the registration books will be open for challenges, and such other purposes as allowed by law.

By order of the Council.

This 18th day of February, 1914.

THOS. D. MEARES, City Clerk.

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With the usual mixture of cotton seed meal, acid and kainit, its capacity is 3 1-2 foot rows, 200 to 1,000 pounds per acre, (more per acre on narrower, and less on wider rows). It is easily regulated, and when gears are set for quantity wanted the feed never changes; not affected by the speed of the horse; up or down hill the same; is well made; light draft; does absolutely perfect work. Its success is attested to by representative farmers throughout the entire cotton belt; weighs about ninety pounds.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Sept. 14, 1913. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 2:20 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:20 A.M.
No. 64 ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P.M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P.M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P.M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P.M.
No. 62, *3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A.M.
No. 42, * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 10:00 A.M.
No. 57, ! 7:00 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58, ! 9:45 A.M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. b Sunday only. a Daily except Monday.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT OCTOBER 6th, 1913.

Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach and Intermediate Points.

EASTBOUND. Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach	WESTBOUND. Leave Winter Park for Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington.	Leave Beach for Wilmington.
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Friday, March 13, 1914.

The Mexican situation is open for acceptance by all jingoes who want to suit their actions to their words.

The courts cannot suppress crime, but they can repress it by punishing criminals if they will carry out the laws.

Shouldn't Uncle Sam intervene in New York, if Mayor Mitchel cannot suppress the gunmen and the gangsters?

If intervention should come, we hope President Wilson will call on jingoes to volunteer for service as the advance guard of the army.

Somehow or other people seem to have more confidence in Congress. The more confidence the people have in Congress the less special interests have in it.

A party is a bunch of politicians who hold a convention every now and then and agree on a platform which they think is big enough for the majority of voters to stand on.

A Vienna judge ruled that a man cannot keep his mother-in-law from coming to his home. The judge is about right. She would get in the back way while he was watching the front door.

Texas shows a disposition to intervene in Mexico, but owing to Atlanta's geographic position she is liable to induce Texas to manage the campaign from headquarters there. Otherwise, Atlanta may intervene in Texas.

The high cost of living is pretty hard on those Californians who won't work and save while times are good. Professional do-nothings always wait till there is nothing to do before they claim that they can't get work.

A fortune of $25,000 was left to a young man with the proviso that he should marry a certain girl. That is one way to make a girl flossie up and be ready when the fellow calls on a matter of such important business.

So long as the country can get President Wilson, Roosevelt is not a possibility. The Republicans would like to beat Wilson, but Roosevelt is in the way and the Republican party is in his way as much as he is in its.

Mention is made of the fact that a Chinese banquet lasted 17 hours. In this country there is no limit on banquets, but it is all over with the banquet when the waiters whisper that the champagne baskets have been emptied.

Former President Taft has seen proper to deny rumors that President Wilson would appoint him to a seat on the Supreme Court of the United States. Any such appointment would cause Col. Roosevelt to rush home and renew his campaign for the recall of judges.

Gen. Felix Diaz is still hanging out around Washington to find out where he can come in when Mexican affairs are settled. If Felix's nerve stays with him, it is his evident purpose to start something with whichever side wins in Mexico. It is men with the Diaz brand of ambition that keeps Mexico in a stew.

"The greatest scoundrels are college bred," Bishop Anderson contends. No doubt, however, they would have been contemptible little scoundrels but for education. Now and then the wrong man gets an education, but that is no argument against education. Education does more for the right kind of men than it does for scoundrels.

THAT GOVERNMENT COALING STATION.

With a growing navy on its hands, the United States government will be compelled to put in coaling stations where there are none at advantageous ports along the Atlantic and Gulf seaboard. In time of war the navy would be at a great disadvantage for lack of convenient coaling stations and even ports to which the warships could resort for coal, supplies, repairs, or in the event of emergency. For some time the Navy Department has been giving intelligent and timely consideration to that need for increasing the efficiency of the navy.

...understood through the ...gton correspondent that ...ment has determined to ... a coaling station at some ... the South Atlantic.

... Navy Department has given ...ous consideration to this matter ...r several years, and it seems now that active steps are to be taken in that direction. A Washington special to The Star says before the Government decides upon "a coaling station which is soon to be established on the Atlantic," Southport, Wilmington and Beaufort will be inspected by a committee charged to ascertain whether or not one of these ports would be the best location for such a station. We are gratified that this investigation of the availability of these North Carolina ports will be made in accordance with a resolution introduced by Senator Overman, who is satisfied that either Wilmington, Southport or Beaufort has superior advantages over any places now in contemplation for the station.

The Senator is right, and a careful study of the availability of the Cape Fear ocean gateway will reveal the fact that its availability cannot be questioned. In fact, the Government long ago considered the mouth of the Cape Fear as a suitable location for a coaling station and had a survey made at Southport for that purpose. We would like to see a coaling station at Wilmington, but as it is less feasible for the station to be located at this distance from the high sea, it is better that we recognize the fact that Southport offers unequalled advantages for it. Certainly, the Government should locate its station inside the mouth of the Cape Fear, and we cannot see why any inspection committee could overlook the reasons why this location should be chosen.

First of all, it is the most available ocean gateway with a bar and inside channel capable of being improved to any desired depth. At Southport there is a large natural anchorage basin, and engineers will find that a coaling station can be established inside the Cape Fear with greater economy and greater possibilities of usefulness than can possibly be equalled at any other point. Then, again, the mouth of the Cape Fear is closest to the ocean highway traversed by passing vessels bound to or from Atlantic, Gulf, Pacific and Oriental ports, while the Cape Fear ocean gateway is far south of Cape Hatteras and far enough away from the coaling station at Newport News and Norfolk to make Southport's availability all the more pronounced.

Above all else, the Government will want its coaling station protected, and it is only necessary to point to the fact that the mouth of the Cape Fear is commanded by the extensive fortifications at Fort Caswell. The Government has spent millions in making Fort Caswell a formidable defensive ocean outpost, so that it is altogether reasonable to suppose that the best place for a coaling station would be right under the guns of a fort that would make it impossible of attack. For these reasons, we cannot see how the government could hesitate at all in locating its station inside the mouth of the Cape Fear.

Not the least reason, however, is that a coaling station inside the Cape Fear would have advantage of all the rail, telegraph and telephone advantages of Wilmington. Its nearness to a city the size of Wilmington is a point to be considered, while this port handles all the large vessels, engaged in commerce on the North Carolina coast. It is more than desirable that a coaling station should be located where there is a considerable commerce, hence we don't see why that committee should look any further than the Cape Fear ocean gateway. The all rail haul from the coal fields and the nearness of this point to the coal supply is of the first importance.

The Star is glad to note that the Chamber of Commerce at its meeting yesterday afternoon took up the matter and will take active steps to present the claims of this location. The Star's local department refers to the action of the chamber, and we are sure if the matter is presented in its strongest light, the Government's coaling station will be located at Southport.

SERENE IN THE DEMOCRATIC CAMP.

The business-like, frictionless and harmonious meeting of the State Democratic Executive Committee at Raleigh indicates that all is serene in the Democratic camp in North Carolina up to now. There is not a speck on the horizon and no disturbing influence is at work to cause any apprehension of the future. The committee fixed June 17th for the State convention at Raleigh but no doubt the time of meeting will be changed, as the convention date will conflict with the annual meeting of the State Medical Society which is to be held at the State Capital.

The executive committee's choice of the Hon. Thomas D. Warren, of Newbern, for the State chairmanship, generally is approved. There was no contest, and complete unity of purpose existed between the committeemen from all quarters of the State. It is agreed that Mr. Warren will make an able and capable successor to State Chairman Charles A. Webb, who resigned to accept the United States marshalship in the Western North Carolina district. Those who know Mr. Warren best declare that the party is in safe hands and can look to wise management under his direction.

Mr. Warren is a prominent lawyer of the Newbern bar and is well known in political circles in the State. He always has been a strong, willing Democratic worker, and his fine judgment, executive capacity and political acumen eminently fit him for the work of keeping the North Carolina Democracy in its militant shape.

THE Y. W. C. A.

The active work inaugurated for a Young Woman's Christian Association for Wilmington is extremely gratifying to the people of this city. The movement has rapidly gathered force and the campaign for membership is now under full headway. The organization work is being led by Miss Ada Starkweather, of Charlotte, field secretary of the Y. W. C. A., and her great earnestness and enthusiasm are only equalled by her fine equipment for handling the campaign in which Wilmington is now deeply concerned.

It is proposed to secure 1,000 members for the Y. W. C. A. in this city and we hope the membership committees will get even more than that. When the association is organized and gets down to work, it will be one of the most beneficial and useful institutions of this growing city. After the initiatory movement is over, The Star wants the next movement, and early at that, to be one for a handsome building for the association. We expect to see it, and judging from the great interest in the city it will not be many years till we can point with pride to Wilmington's Y. W. C. A. building.

CURRENT COMMENT.

There was nothing else for the other candidates for the chairmanship to do but to step down when they found that the machine was against them.—Durham Herald.

We said the recall would not necessarily mean condemnation except for a moment. Hiram G. Gill was elected mayor of Seattle in 1910, was recalled in 1911, was defeated for re-election in 1912 and is now elected by an overwhelming majority. Now shall we say that Mayor Gill is guilty or not guilty according to the popular verdict which is said to express the will of God?—Jacksonville Times-Union.

Out of Pittsburg, Pa., comes the story that in order to get rid of mashers young and beautiful policewomen in "citizen's clothes" are to be sent into the streets with orders to arrest bold, bad men who attempt to do any mashing. The policewomen may use "subtly tempting glances," it is said, in their work. It is likely that if they do they will speedily fill the jail with men, but is it fair, is it just for the law to tempt men to do wrong? Is it mashing in the eyes of the law for a man to smile as sweetly as he can in response to a "subtly tempting" smile from a pretty woman? Are Pittsburgh men made of stone?—Savannah News.

The responses to the roll call at the meeting of the Democratic State Executive Committee on Tuesday night when the committee met in Raleigh showed that there is no diminution in party interest, but that there is rather an increase, for out of the sixty members of the committee there were fifty-four present either in person or by proxy, and the proxies were few and far between. From every section of the State, the extreme west and the extreme east, from the northern line and the southern, members of the committee were present. And a fature of the session was the harmony which prevailed, it being in evidence that the members of the party are united and active, that there is no spirit of factionalism, but that there is a determined purpose to stand shoulder to shoulder for Democracy, for a continuance of good government in North Carolina.—Raleigh News and Observer.

CUTTER SEMINOLE IN PORT.

Back from Strenuous Voyage—Cruising Grounds Extended.

The United States revenue cutter Seminole, Capt. G. L. Carden commanding, reached her station here yesterday noon, after a strenuous two weeks of cruising in her district, having rendered assistance to a schooner in distress off Beaufort, having towed the schooner Massasoit into Norfolk and hastened back on her return to the assistance of the schooner Rebecca R. Douglass, which hit on Frying Pan Shoals earlier in the week, but subsequently floated and proceeded on her voyage to Boston without assistance.

The story of the rescue of the Massasoit off Diamond Shoals and her difficult towing to the Virginia Capes has been told in the dispatches from Washington, D. C., Capt. Carden having made official report to the department by wireless. The Massasoit was gotten into harbor with the assistance of the Onondago, of Norfolk, and had no sooner coaled than wireless calls for assistance came for the Rebecca R. Douglass, reported on Frying Pan. The Seminole proceeded with all haste in the teeth of a storm only a find the schooner had successfully gotten off and proceeded. The cutter came in yesterday for coal and supplies.

Capt. Carden was notified upon his arrival here of an extension of his cruising grounds to include from Hatteras to Savannah, Ga., the Yamacraw having had her territory considerably extended to St. Augustine in order to take care of the work of the Miami, which has been ordered to the ice patrol. The regular winter cruising does not end until April and until that time the Seminole will be kept quite busy covering the extensive field now allotted to her.

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BASEBALL TODAY.
Sunset Park—Philadelphia Nationals vs. Jersey City—3 o'clock.
(advertisement.)

RESERVES DECISION IN BIRD CASE.

Preliminary Hearing on Charge of Shipping Birds Out of State.

United States Commissioner Geo. Harriss reserved his decision until today in the cases against Messrs. John A. Nixon, Ravenswood Sidbury, and Ed Taylor, charged with shipping birds out of the State in violation of the United States penal laws after hearing argument of counsel yesterday. The preliminary hearing in the matter was set for yesterday at 11 o'clock, but owing to inability of Assistant District Attorney E. M. Green, of Newbern, to reach Wilmington at that time it was postponed until yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The defendants in the cases were indicted several weeks ago on two counts, one for an alleged shipment of 256 quail and one woodcock to Washington, D. C., on December 1st, 1911, and the other for shipping the birds in packages which were not plainly marked so that it could be seen what they contained. The latter charge was dismissed yesterday by Commissioner Harriss on the ground that it was not proven.

Through their attorney, Herbert McClammy, Esq., the defendants admitted that they shipped the birds, although not intending to violate any law, but maintained that the statute of limitations would bar any prosecution of them now. The State law prohibiting the shipment of birds makes it a misdemeanor and the State statute of limitations bars all prosecution of misdemeanors after two years. The Federal statute of limitations extends the time to three years.

Mr. McClammy's contention was that the Federal statute prohibiting the shipment of birds was predicated upon the State law and was passed with the object in view of enforcing the State law. Therefore, since there was no misdemeanor at the time the action was brought under the State law, there was no ground for bringing suit under the Federal law.

The contention of the assistant district attorney was that the statute of limitations under the Federal statute had not expired, and therefore, could not be plead by the defendants as a defense.

Commissioner Harriss reserved his decision until today in order that he might give both sides consideration.

Mr. Charles E. Brewster, game law expert of the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., attended the hearing yesterday afternoon.

Messrs. Taylor and Nixon were arrested some weeks ago on warrants sent to this city by the District Attorney. Upon the affidavit of Mr. Nixon that Mr. Sidbury and not Mr. Taylor was a member of the firm at the time the birds were alleged to have been shipped a warrant was issued for Mr. Sidbury by Commissioner Harriss. The three defendants were placed under bonds of $1,000 each.

ROUSE WILL NOT RUN.

Declines to Enter Race for Congress From Second.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., March 12.—Speculation as to whether N. James Rouse, senior member of the Kinston bar, one-time Democratic elector, former city and county attorney and ex-mayor of Kinston, would be a candidate for Congress from the Second district was ended late yesterday with the announcement by him that he would decline to enter the race under any circumstances. Mr. Rouse gave the following statement for publication:

"I am not a candidate for Congress. I cannot now, without serious inconvenience and loss, withdraw my active attention from important private affairs. I am indeed grateful to all whose partiality for me would have me stand for the nomination this year. At a later time, if it shall be the pleasure of the people of the district, I shall be glad to represent them at Washington."

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JOHN HAAR.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY:

I take this method of conveying to you my sincere thanks for your loyal support in yesterday's Primary, and assuring you that when elected I shall continue to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability. Very truly,

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WILMINGTON LODGE, NO. 319, A. F. & A. M.
Special communication this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock P. M., for work in the Fellowcraft Degree.
You are requested to be present.
Visiting brethren cordially invited.
By order of the W. M.
J. M. TAYLOR, Sec'y.

VOTE IS VERIFIED

Official Canvass Establishes First Returns as Correct.

No Protests Came Before Board of Canvassers Yesterday—Total Vote in the Primary Was Around 2,900—Details.

Returns in the Democratic primary of Wednesday as announced in the press yesterday were verified by the County Board of Canvassers which met at the court house yesterday afternoon and canvassed the vote, finding only a minor error or two in the official returns made to the Board of Elections Wednesday night. Following the canvass the official tabulated returns were certified over the Board of Elections and the results became a part of the political history of New Hanover county.

Rumors afloat on the streets yesterday morning to the effect that irregularities had been discovered in the returns from one of the precincts in the Fifth ward, and possibly in other precincts, and that the results in some of the fights would be contested, did not materialize at the meeting, and everything was found to be regular and in order.

The Board of Canvassers, composed of the registrars from each of the precincts of the county, met at noon and organized with the election of Mr. W. W. Hodges as chairman and Mr. W. A. Canady, secretary. The votes of the different wards and precincts were then gone over, checked, verified and totalled up. This occupied practically the entire afternoon, and the final tabulated returns were not certified over to Secretary Wm. Struthers, Jr., of the Board of Elections, until 5 o'clock.

The Total Vote.

Including the votes thrown out on account of not complying with the strict rules of the Australian ballot system, the total vote cast in the primary was about 2,900. It is estimated that fully 200 votes were discarded in the county on account of some technical violation of the ballot rules. The total vote which counted was close around 2,700.

The Certified Returns.

The official returns, as certified to by the Board of Canvassers, show the following votes to have been cast for the different candidates:

For Senator: Cooper 1,511; Ruark 903.

For House: Stacy 1,361; Kellum 1,238.

For Recorder: Empie 1,342; Furlong 1,269.

Clerk of Court: Harris, 2,257.

Register of Deeds: Haar, 1,738; Horne, 575; Bellamy, 342.

Auditor: John A. Orrell, 2,251.

Solicitor: Peschau, 1,489; Goodman, 1,018.

Sheriff: Cowan, 2,054; Herbst, 553.

Commissioners: Moore, 1,546; Kerr, 1,373; Vollers, 1,170; McEachern, 1,093.

Coroner: Fowler, 1,697; Carewe, 604.

Constable: Davis, 963; Bryan, 478; Howe, 407.

For magistrates for Wilmington township, the returns were as follows, the first five being the nominees: Bornemann, 1,207; Savage, 1,118; Newman, 567; J. C. King, 524; Geo. W. Smith, 479; Eben Piner, 368; R. D. Hamilton, 366; Jno. W. Smith, 285.

Democratic Executive Committee.

For committeemen from the 13 precincts, complete returns were as follows, the first named in each instance being the nominee:

First ward, first precinct: H. W. Konig, 95; B. C. Moore, 75.

First ward, second precinct: F. P. Lamb 36; J. A. Gillerlain 32; D. O. Westbrook 13.

Second ward: E. H. Munson 102; T. W. Wood 62; J. E. Bunting 47; J. S. Rames 10.

Third ward: Thos. E. Cooper 172; H. E. Bonitz 121.

Fourth ward: Jos. W. Little 189; W. A. French, Jr., 95.

Fifth ward, first precinct: B. F. King, Jr., 101; W. G. Hatch 63; S. A. Matthews 47; J. R. Kennedy 32.

Fifth ward, second precinct: Jno. W. Gafford 65; W. H. Blair 50; J. H. Taylor, Jr., 38; I. S. King 28.

Cape Fear: Herbert Johnston 69; C. E. Smith 11.

Delgado: H. C. Mason 60; J. O. Brown 36.

Federal Point—Hans A. Kure 7; S. G. Keyes 4.

Masonboro: Walter Horne 40; Jno. A. Farrow 22.

Seagate: Liston Larkins 28; W. S. Dew 10; W. D. MacMillan 1.

Seven-Mile Post: Gerritt Walker 34; G. H. Shepard 2.

Country Township Officers.

The vote for magistrates in country townships was as follows, the first named being the nominee:

Harnett, Delgado: J. A. Montgomery 10; T. J. Gore 5; J. P. Montgomery 4; R. M. Skipper 1.

Seven-Mile Post: N. E. Farrar 33.

Masonboro: J. P. Herring 1.

Cape Fear: J. H. Johnston 5; T. H. Rasberry 1.

Constables voted on in the outside townships were as follows, with the nominees first:

Delgado: W. M. Skipper 41; H. H. Howe 1; H. C. Blake 1.

Seven-Mile Post: T. T. Smith 23.

Masonboro: D. D. George 1.

Cooper Has Majority in District.

From the Senatorial vote in the primary, 25 of New Hanover's 40 votes in the District Senatorial Convention will go to Mr. W. B. Cooper, the New Hanover county candidate, and 15 votes to Jos. W. Ruark, Esq., the candidate from Brunswick county. The two candidates split the vote in Brunswick at the convention held at Supply last week, Mr. Cooper getting 7 1-6 votes and Mr. Ruark 9 5-6 out of the total of 17. From this it will be seen that Mr. Cooper will have a majority of about eight votes in the District Senatorial Convention.

The primary and its results were the chief topics of conversation yesterday, and many expressed some surprise over the results, while many others assumed the I-told-you-so attitude and professed to have known all along what the outcome would be.

Members of the Independent Club seem disposed to be very well satisfied with the victory of Brooke G. Empie, Esq., for the Recordership, and declare that they do not mind the rest of their ticket being defeated.

Good order prevailed throughout the primary for the most part, though some imbibed too freely and were disposed to vent loud opinions upon politics or any other subject under the sun. One or two fistic encounters occurred at the polls or down town after the voting had ceased, but they were remarkably few considering the heat of the campaign.

Political interest now turns to the city election, which will be held March 24th to decide whether or not the municipality will issue bonds in the sum of $250,000 for the purchase of public docks and terminals. The prospects are that this will be a hard fought contest.

FAVORABLE TO SOUTHPORT

Chamber of Commerce Believes Coaling Station Should Go There—No Action on Horse Show.

That Southport is better situated geographically for the proposed government coaling station than any other point on the South Atlantic, was the opinion expressed by the members of the Chamber of Commerce at their regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon, and the traffic committee was instructed to co-operate with Southport in her efforts to secure the station. No action was taken on the proposed Berger Horse Show but the matter was referred back to the Public Entertainment Committee with power to call a special meeting of the chamber, if they see fit to do so.

Owing to the cold March weather or for some other reason not readily apparent there was a small attendance at the meeting. President M. J. Corbett presided and a record of the proceedings was kept by Secretary Howard B. Branch.

Southport Recommended.

Mr. J. Allan Taylor, chairman of the Traffic Committee, was asked by the president to make a report on the coaling station which the government will establish on the South Atlantic coast. Mr. Taylor said that he had not conferred with any other members of the committee and could not, therefore, speak for any one except himself. Personally he thought that Southport, on account of its geographical situation, was better suited for the station than Wilmington.

Whatever helps Southport, he said, also helps Wilmington, and he considered it proper that Wilmington people should do all that they can to develop the Brunswick port. He was of the opinion that Southport was equally as well situated and had all the advantages that Charleston has, and did not think that any port that could not offer the same advantages or better facilities than the South Carolina port would be likely to get the station.

Mr. J. O. Reilly moved that Mr. Taylor's suggestion that Southport be advocated and the matter referred back to the traffic committee with instructions to co-operate with Southport be accepted. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Freight Rates Again.

Mr. Taylor called attention to the fact that the North Carolina Commission would soon have another hearing from the railroads regarding the Justice freight rate bill, which would be in the nature of a cross-examination on the evidence offered at the first hearing. He thought that the commission should be asked to hold hearings in the different cities in the State so that they might have the opportunity to offer criticisms or suggestions, if they so desired. He again called attention to some of the glaring defects in the law.

Mr. J. G. McCormick also discussed freight rates, especially those pertaining to coal. He was of the opinion that Wilmington should be on her guard and that she could not be too careful or too zealous in looking out for her interests. He thought that perhaps, if she had begun her fight for just freight rates sooner than she did last year that she would have fared better.

The fact was brought out in the course of the discussion that soon a conference would be held between the Traffic Committee and the Atlantic Coast Line officials regarding a more satisfactory arrangement of the schedules for the northbound trains from Wilmington.

Berger Horse Show.

In the absence of Col. E. A. Metts, chairman of the Public Entertainment Committee, Mr. H. J. MacMillan, Jr., made a verbal report of the action of the committee which had made an investigation of the proposition of Mr. J. S. Berger, who proposes to hold a horse show in Wilmington the second week in May and said they considered it to be alright. He explained that Mr. Berger proposed to make Wilmington one of a number of Southern cities in which shows would be held this Spring. He asked Mr. Berger to explain his proposition in detail.

Mr. Berger stated that the Public Entertainment Committee had gone over the proposition with him a month ago and had gone into matters thoroughly. They had also sent out a number of telegrams as to his reliability, he stated, and had received favorable replies to all of them. They had then recommended that his proposition be accepted.

He explained that his proposition was to bring to Wilmington from 500 to 700 horses, some of which are owned by the Vanderbilts, Goulds and other wealthy men. In order to pull off the show it would require not less than $7,000. However, he was only asking Wilmington to give half of this amount or $3,500, most of which would be expended in advertising and for prizes, he said.

Inasmuch as it was a new project and would bring not less than 20,000 people to the city during the four days that it would be in progress he thought that the citizens here would find it to be a most profitable venture. The people that would come, he said, would be the wealthier people and of a class that could likely be interested in making investments.

The railroads coming into the city had promised him, he said, that they would co-operate with him in running excursion trains and in making low rates to the show.

He declared that his object was not to make money out of the proposition as he had in mind a proposition for holding an inter-State fair here next Fall and this would be a sort of preparation for that event.

He called attention to the fact that there were a number of men in the city who had known him for 20 years or more and that he could furnish references of the highest class. He was willing to put up a surety bond that he would do what he contracted to do and that he would not collect one cent of the money subscribed until he had given the show.

Mr. J. Allan Taylor thought that the matter should be referred back to the committee as they had made no formal report on the proposition and that it had not come before the chamber in proper shape.

Mr. D. H. Penton called attention to the fact that the Y. M. C. A. have arranged for a Chautauqua to be held here at the same time that Mr. Berger proposed to have the show. He thought that this might conflict with the show.

Mr. Berger thought that the two attractions would be a mutual benefit to each other. He declared that a Chautauqua would never bring to any city the moneyed class of people that a horse show would.

The suggestion of Mr. Taylor seemed to be the prevailing opinion among those present, several stating that they did not want a horse show. It was referred back to the Entertainment Committee with the privilege of calling a special meeting, if they so desired.

Exemption of Canal Tolls.

Mr. J. Allan Taylor stated to the chamber that he had recently received a communication from the secretary of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress asking that he express himself as favorable to the provision of the Panama Canal act which exempts American coastwise vessels from the payment of tolls for passing through the canal. He said that he had written him that he was favorable to the attitude of the President in asking for a repeal of the act. He thought that the matter was of sufficient importance for the chamber to take some action, and, therefore, introduced the following resolution which was adopted unanimously:

"Whereas, the provision of the Canal act exempting American coastwise vessels from tolls is uniformly construed by foreign governments as in contravention of their treaty rights;

"Whereas fidelity to plighted faith is invaluable alike to individuals and nations, and,

"Whereas, the President moved by high considerations of public good faith has appealed to Congress to repeal the exemption clause of the aforesaid act, it is resolved by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce:

"First, That whatever may be the technical rights of our government under treaty, international good faith and comity demand that we take no advantage of our situation, but give due regard to the representations of other nations whose commercial interests are vitally involved, and who claim equality under treaty stipulations.

"Second, That we favor the repeal of the exemption clause of the Canal act, and request our Senators and Representatives in Congress to procure the enactment of necessary legislation."

Resolutions of Respect.

By a rising vote the following resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Mr. Charles J. Mitchell, an honored member of the organization, were adopted:

"Whereas, on the 12th day of December, 1913, it did please an Almighty Providence to remove from membership in this organization Mr. Charles J. Mitchell, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That in the death of Mr. Charles J. Mitchell, this chamber has lost one of its most conservative and useful members:

"That the city of Wilmington at large is deprived of a citizen whose industry, integrity and fair dealing was fully recognized;

"That his family and many personal friends have sustained a deep personal bereavement, and that the sympathy of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce and the individual members thereof, is hereby expressed and conveyed, and

"That a memorial be spread upon the minute book of this organization in respect to Mr. Mitchell's memory and that this resolution be furnished [illegible] of the deceased.

[illegible] submitted.

[illegible] N. EVANS,

[illegible] GORE,

[illegible] S I. METTS."

WILL ARRIVE THIS MORNING

President Baker, of the Phillies; Governor Tener, and Distinguished Party Coming Today.

President William F. Baker, president of the Philadelphia National League baseball club, accompanied by Governor John K. Tener, president of the National League, and party of ten will arrive in Wilmington aboard a special car attached to the train from the north at 10:15 this morning.

Composing President Baker's party, besides the Governor of Pennsylvania, are the following: Walter Gaither, private secretary to Governor Tener; Col. Thomas E. Murphy, of the Governor's staff; Samuel W. Clements, attorney for the club; Fred T. Chandler, vice president of the Phillies, and president of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange; Messrs. L. C. Ruch, Walter Clothier, A. S. L. Shields and Charles Haggerty, Jr., members of the board of directors of the Phillies, and John B. Lobert, third baseman of the Philadelphia team.

The distinguished party will be met at the union station by a committee representing the Wilmington Commercial Club, the Chamber of Commerce, and the local Lodge of Elks, and automobiles will be waiting to carry them to the Orton Hotel, where a short impromptu reception will be tendered them, Mayor P. Q. Moore delivering a short address of welcome.

Soon afterward Business Manager Shettsline and Mr. Dooin will go into executive session with their superiors, when matters pertaining to the club will be discussed among them. It is believed in Philadelphia that this visit is for the purpose of having a heart-to-heart talk with the players who have stood by the club as well as those who may be wavering, the presence in the party of Mr. S. W. Clements, counsel for the club, giving further ground for this supposition, and it is probable that the matter of the legal difficulties which the club is up against with regard to Killifer and other players will be discussed and a course of action outlined.

Tomorrow evening at 9 o'clock, a banquet will be tendered the party by the players, which will be strictly a "family affair," no one except those interested in the club being present. The affair will be informal, and all the players will be present.

Saturday morning the entire party will be taken for an auto ride over the city and around "the loop," and upon their return to the city will be given a luncheon at either the Elks' Club or the Cape Fear Club, if this arrangement meets with the approval of Mr. Baker and Governor Tener.

Governor Tener and party will leave aboard a special car Saturday evening at 6:45, returning to Philadelphia. President Baker and his party will remain in the city until next Tuesday, watching the club's training operations. The entire party will witness the games at Sunset Park this afternoon and tomorrow.

IN APPRECIATION OF THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

I take this method of returning thanks to the Democratic voters of every precinct in the county and every ward in the city for the handsome vote by which I was re-nominated at yesterday's primary. I will ever be grateful of their confidence and the trust placed in me and will strive at all times, during my administration to render prompt, faithful and efficient returns in my duties and will always be ready to give courteous treatment to any and all.

Sincerely,

S. P. COWAN.

Sheriff of New Hanover County.

(advertisement.)

TRUCK IS DAMAGED SOME

Cold Weather and Snow Did No Harm, but Blizzard Following Did—Not Extensive.

That truck crops in this section, as well as throughout the South, have suffered to some extent from the cold weather and ice, of recent date, is the opinion of Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, editor of the Carolina Fruit & Truckers' Journal, of this city. In an editorial in the issue out yesterday he sums up the situation as follows:

"The snow, freeze and blizzard during the last week in February did more or less damage to the trucking crops from Virginia to the Gulf of Mexico. Special reports from points in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana make this much a certainty. In this section, or rather, throughout Eastern North Carolina, the snow and freeze, up to and including Saturday night of February 28th, did practically no harm, but the blizzard and cold winds of Sunday night, Monday and Monday night, March 1st, 2nd and 3rd, did more or less damage to lettuce, cauliflower and the few tomato plants that had been set out as well as beets, radishes and some other minor crops.

"The bed lettuce was damaged very little, except in cases where the high winds blew off the covers, but the field lettuce and especially that portion which had been recently set out, suffered more or less. We have heard two or three growers say their damage was as much as 25 per cent, but the majority of those with whom we have talked, and over whose fields we have walked, report the damage at from 10 to 20 per cent. Of course, some of the lettuce will rally and come back, but practically everything is set back from a week to ten days and this will delay the maturity and shipment of this year's crop. The snowfall throughout this section was from three to six inches deep, and as the strawberries were not in bloom, worked no harm to this luscious fruit.

"On the contrary, it is believed by the leading growers that this snow and ice will so toughen the strawberry vines and delay vegetation to such and extent as will benefit the strawberry crop rather than otherwise. It is also the opinion of the best posted growers that this snow and ice has practically exterminated the strawberry weevil and other insect pests and this much within itself would be a great boon to the strawberry industry, for in some sections these pests have become a serious drawback and a decided hindrance to the development of the industry.

"In the Norfolk section the snow and ice was so deep and remained on the ground so much longer than it did around here that considerable damage was done to the growing crops and more or less damage will be sustained by potatoes which had been planted and froze in the ground. The real damage, however, has been found to be much less than was at first feared. In the Charleston and Beaufort, S. C., sections right much damage was done to lettuce, cauliflower, tomatoes and other growing crops, with possibly more to potatoes that had been planted and are now reported to have frozen in the ground. But in that section there is ample time for re-planting. The snow in that section and as far down as Savannah was two and three inches deep and reputed to be the heaviest snowfall that section has seen in 24 years.

"In Florida last week frost killed a great many strawberry blooms, slightly injured the potato fields in some sections, scorched the lettuce in others and worked from 50 to 75 per cent damage to all vegetable crops lying between Miami and Lauderdale. This damage chiefly covered tomatoes, beans, cauliflower, beets and other vegetables. Peach blossoms were killed in certain parts of Florida and watermelon vines were cut down. In the great watermelon and cantaloupe districts, however, in South Florida, there was fortunately no damage done worth while. Farther down in Mississippi and Louisiana strawberries are reported damaged 50 per cent and some other crops hurt quite that much. In other cases, however, the damage was lighter.

"In the famous Georgia peach belt the trees had not bloomed out as yet, therefore, escaped with but slight damage. After all we are inclined to the opinion that the damage is less and will pan out less than was at first supposed. There has been more or less damage, however, but in many cases where growing crops have suffered it was too late to replant except in some of the Florida districts, but taken all in all, the total volume of trucking crops produced this season will likely be quite as large if not larger than last year. Eastern Carolina seems to have gotten off lightest and fared best in the matter of damage and loss.

"From the reports we have received throughout this whole section it would seem that the snow and ice during the latter days of February did practically no harm and the net result would have been scarcely worth mentioning but for the high winds and blizzard prevailing over this territory on Sunday night, Monday and Monday night, March 1st, 2nd and 3rd, during which time all the damage inflicted to growing crops was wrought. But we are fully of the opinion that the cold weather prevailing throughout this whole section since the 20th of February to the present time will be of substantial benefit to the strawberry, dewberry, peach and vegetable crops for the reason that premature fruiting and budding will be checked and held back until the proper season for such blooming and development. Some of the growers go so far as to say the cold weather last month and thus far in March will amount to a 10 per cent increase in the strawberry crop."

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Several Up on Charge of Engaging in Affrays Wednesday.

There were several before the Recorder yesterday on charges of engaging in affrays Wednesday. None of these were of a serious nature and judgment in each case was suspended upon payment of the costs. C. M. Littleton and Hugh Hinnant, both white, were taxed with the costs for engaging in an affray. Jere Carewe and R. J. Sneed, Jr., charged with the same offense, were taxed with half the costs each. J. H. Meier and J. A. Gillerlain, charged with an affray, both entered a submission and were taxed with the costs.

In the absence of the Recorder Deputy Recorder George Harriss presided.

A CARD OF THANKS.

To my friends and those who supported me at the polls on the 11th inst., I desire to express my very deepest appreciation and thanks.

J. T. KERR.

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at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1914.

Resources:		Liabilities:	
Loans, discounts, other than demand loans	$1,869,935.34	Capital stock paid in	$ 100,000.00
North Carolina State bonds	5,000.00	Surplus fund	200,000.00
All other stocks, bonds, Mortgages	28,009.01	Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	51,435.79
Banking houses	50,000.00	Dividends unpaid	107.50
All other real estate owned	2,500.00	Deposits	2,047,095.93
Demand loans	232,828.88	Building account reserves	5,000.00
Cash on hand and in banks	209,843.17	Reserve for taxes	4,000.00
Invested trust funds	69,522.82		
Total	$2,407,639.22	Total	$2,407,639.22

I, John Lewis Williams, cashier of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN LEWIS WILLIAMS.

State of North Carolina,
County of New Hanover.
Sowrn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of March, 1914.

C. S. GRAINGER, Notary.

Correct Attest:
N. B. RANKIN,
R. H. NORTHROP,
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The Re... will hold an important ... morning at 11 o'clock in t... of the Colonial Inn. All me... are urged to attend.

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Mrs. Mataxas, wife of Adjutant Mataxas, of the local post of the Salvation Army, left yesterday afternoon for Jacksonville, Fla., where she will remain for a few days in the interest of the army work.

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Friends of Miss Carlotta Muegge, who is suffering from an attack of pneumonia, will be glad to know that the case is not an aggravated one, and that she is getting along as well as could be expected.

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Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Willingham, of Richmond, Va., arrived from Atlanta yesterday morning and are to be in the city several days at the home of their son, Dr. B. J. Willingham, No. 120 North Fourth street. Their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Willingham, also came with them.

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There will be a meeting of the membership committee of the Y. W. C. A. this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Chairmen of the church and other committees are requested to attend. Any other ladies who are assisting in the membership campaign are cordially invited to be present also.

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Warsaw, N. C., March 12.—Mrs. Ralph Honeycutt delightfull entertained the members of the United Daughters of the Confederacy at her home here yesterday afternoon. About 21 ladies were present. A number of interesting papers were read. A salad course was daintily served, followed by ice cream and cake.

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In the lecture room of the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 6 o'clock theer will be a meeting of the business women of the city for the purpose of discussing plans for the organization of a Y. W. C. A. in this city. Miss Ada Starkweather, field secretary, will be present and will make a short address. All business women are cordially invited to attend.

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QUIET HOME WEDDING YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. George H. Lively and Miss Bessie Foy Harriss, daughter of Mrs. J. S. Harriss, were happily married yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, No. 219 South Sixth street, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. It was a quiet home wedding and only a few friends were present.

Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left on the 6:45 train for a visit to several northern cities on their honeymoon trip. They will return to the city next week. Both bride and groom are young people with a wide circle of friends who will extend warm congratulations. Mr. Lively holds a position in the office of the county auditor at the Court House.

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LITERARY MEETING YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

The regular monthly meeting of the Literarure Department of Sorosis was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. T. Bannerman ,No. 314 Ann street. There was a large attendance of members and a most interesting and instructive programme presented. Mrs. N. J. Dauer read a splendid sketch of Tennyson which presented clearly and succinctly the leading facts in the life of the great English poet.

Mrs. R. L. Cobb followed with an excellent review of one of Tennyson's best known poems, "The Princess." She read most charmingly a number of the more beautiful selections from the poem and gave an instructive resume of the book. Mrs. Richard Price concluded the programme with a well-written review of "The Ring and the Brook," one of Robert Browning's most admired poems. This, too, was greatly enjoyed on account of the exquisite beauty of the different selections from the poem which were read by Mrs. Price.

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REGULAR MEETING OF HOUSEWIVES' LEAGUE.

The regular meeting of the Housewives' League was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Elks' Temple and was largely attended. The principal matter of business considered was a discussion of plans for furnishing and managing of the merchants' display and rest room in the basement of the Trust building. Owing to a delay in the arrival of some tiling for the floor, the opening of the room has also been delayed. It is expected that this will arrive some time next week.

The presentation of a purse of $20 from the members of the household of Mrs. C. M. Weathers, No. 117 North Third street, for aiding in the furnishing of the merchants' display room was one of the pleasing features of the meeting yesterday. A number of the members expressed their gratification. It is probable that others will make similar donations to help along the work, all of which is most encouraging to the ladies behind the movement.

DR. POTEAT WILL SPEAK.

President of Wake Forest College at Y. M. C. A. Sunday Afternoon.

Dr. W. L. Poteat, president of Wake Forest College, will be the speaker at the men's mass meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon His subject will be "The Roots of Honor," and those who hear him are assured of an address of real helpfulness and power. Dr. Poteat is recognized as one of the leading educators of the South and as an orator there are few in the State who equal him. A man of purity and uprightness of life he is at the same time a man of tremendous force of character and strong personality.

The citizens of Wilmington are indeed fortunate in having the opportunity to hear this distinguished educator and he will no doubt be greeted by a large audience.

Institutes Libel Suit.

In Federal Court yesterday before Deputy Clerk S. P. Collier, Mr. Bellamy Harriss brought libel action against the barkentine Kremlin for $125, amount alleged to be due on contract. The papers were placed in the hands of United States Deputy Marshal Fennell to be served. The vessel is loaded with cross-ties and was due to leave yesterday afternoon.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The regular monthly meeting of Cape Fear Camp, United Confederate Veterans, will be held in the Wilmington Light Infantry armory this evening at 8 o'clock.

—By deed filed for record yesterday, Geo. O. Gaylord transfers to David Bryant, for $100 and other considerations, a tract in Harnett township, on Allen's Lane near Wrightsville Sound.

—There will be a meeting of City Council this morning at 10 o'clock at which time the matters left over from the postponed session Wednesday will be considered, as well as any other business which may come before them today.

—Secretary Howard B. Branch, of the Chamber of Commerce, has received a letter from Mr. J. S. Holmes, secretary of the North Carolina Forestry Association, asking that the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce send five delegates to the annual meeting of the association which will be held in Asheville on April 8th and 9th.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUY HIBERNIAN HALL.

Property on Third Street Opposite City Hall Purchased.

The property on Third street opposite the city hall, known as Hibernian Hall, has been purchased from the Hibernian Benevolent Society by the Knights of Columbus. While the consideration was not stated, it is understood to be in the neighborhood of $12,000.

It has been known for some time that the Hibernian Society desired to sell the property. At a meeting of the Knights of Columbus held Wednesday night it was definitely decided to buy the property. Many members of the Hibernian Society are also members of the Knights of Columbus and both orders have been holding their meetings in the building. It is supposed that they will continue to do this.

The location of the property makes it most desirable. The building is 33x80 in size and is three stories high.

Automobile Burned.

A 40-horse power Oakland touring car owned by Mr. C. A. McLamb was destroyed by fire on the Federal Point road one mile beyond Sunset Park Wednesday night about 10:30 o'clock. Mr. McLamb was driving the car at the time, and does not know how the flames started, though it is supposed that gasoline escaped from the carbureter and ignited. The flames made rapid headway, and nothing could be done to check them. The car was practically destroyed. It was partially insured.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I desire to thank the voters of Wilmington Township for their loyal support in the primary of yesterday and will show my appreciation of the same by continuing to perform the duties incident to the office of Constable. Thanking you again for your support,

Respectfully,

JOHN H. DAVIS.

(advertisement.)

NEW OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN

Wilmington Lodge No. 532, B. P. O. E., Elects Leaders for Ensuing Year—Committee Appointed.

At the regular semi-monthly meeting last night of Wilmington Lodge No. 532, B. P. O. E., the annual election of officers was held, resulting in the election of Mr. Sam M. King as Exalted Ruler; C. C. Loughlin, Esteemed Leading Knight; T. D. Love, Esteemed Loyal Knight; E. H. Brown, Esteemed Lecturing Knight; Jas. Owen Reilly, Secretary; E. F. O. Banck, Treasurer; H. A. Weber, Tiler, and L. Stein, Trustee, for a term of three years.

This is the fifth time that Mr. Reilly has been elected to the post of secretary and Mr. Weber's second term as tiler. All the other officials were new officers.

Past Exalted Ruler B. P. Stickland, who is succeeded by Mr. King, was elected as delegate to the meeting of the Grand Lodge in Denver, Colo., July 10th, 1914. Past Exalted Ruler H. E. Longley was elected as alternate to the Grand Lodge meeting.

There were a number of informal speeches by members expressing the lodge's appreciation for the services of the retiring officers, and especially of Past Exalted Ruler B. P. Strickland, who is at present undergoing treatment at a hospital in Baltimore, Md.

Several of the newly-elected officers also made short talks expressing their appreciation for the honors conferred upon and the confidence bestowed in them by their lodge brothers.

The following were appointed as a committee from the lodge to meet Governor Tener, of Pennsylvania, President Baker, of the Philadelphia National baseball club, and the other gentlemen of the party which will arrive here this morning on a visit to the Phillies who are training at Sunset Park:

Past Exalted Rulers T. E. Wallace, H. E. Longley, Louis Goodman, C. W. Polvogt, T. B. Carroll, I. W. Solomon, Chas. T. Harper and Exalted Ruler S. M. King.

The committee will meet the party at the union station this morning and with the committees from the other bodies, tender to them a warm welcome to Wilmington.

Another feature of the meeting last night was the initiation of a class of five candidates.

Funeral of Young Child.

The funeral of Dorothy Peterson Matthews, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Matthews, whose death occurred Wednesday night, was held from the residence, No. 916 North Fourth street, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock conducted by Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church. The remains were taken on the 6:45 train to Rose Hill for interment.

Small Fire Last Night.

A short circuit in the electric lighting apparatus in a bedroom in the residence of Mrs. Otto Banck, 412 Princess street, last night at 9:45 o'clock caused a fire that wrought damage to the amount of about $50. The fire department responded to the alarm quickly and the flames were extinguished in time to avert a serious conflagration.

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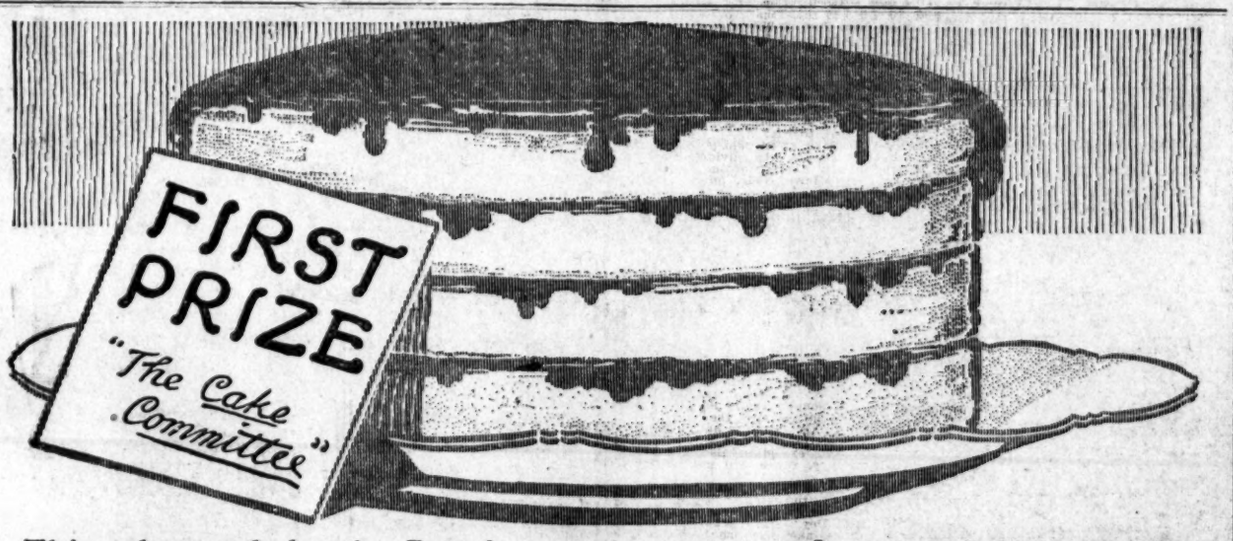

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Three-fourths cup of Cottolene, 2 cups sugar, 3 cups flour, 1 cup milk, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 6 whites of eggs beaten to stiff froth, 2 teaspoons lemon extract. Cream 3-4 cup of Cottolene with sugar, add milk and flour alternately until well mixed, then add whites of eggs and extract. Grease tins and flour them; light the gas just as you place cakes in stove. Put all three layers in and cook at once. Let the cake cool an hour or so before icing.

FILLING—Two cups sugar and just enough water to moisten, cook until it threads from the spoon. Beat whites of 2 eggs to stiff froth, pour the boiling syrup over the whites and beat constantly, then add 1 teaspoonful of lemon extract and 1-2 package shredded cocoanut, and ice your cake. If icing begins to get too stiff to ice add about 2 tablespoons of boiling water and beat well.

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Financial and Commercial

GOOD GAIN IN COTTON

Active Demand for May Contracts Was Feature of Yesterday's Market—Closed Steady.

New York, March 12.—The feature in the cotton market today was an active demand for May contracts, which led the afternoon advance and closed about 13 points over July. March lost part of its premium over May, and after having sold 60 points over that position in the early trading, closed at a premium of 50 points. Leading spot houses were credited with buying May actively on the advance, and there was a good scattering demand, with the general list closing steady, at a net gain of from 4 to 13 points.

Cables were about as due, but after opening steady at an advance of 2 points to a decline of one point prices worked 3 to 6 points lower. The advance of approximately 30 points from the low level of last Monday seemed to attract extensive realising, while there also was considerable local selling. Prices soon steadied on renewed covering and trading later became more active.

Closing prices were 3 or 4 points off from the best, under realizing. Predictions for continued low temperatures with rain or snow in the Eastern belt attracted some attention.

Spot cotton, steady. Middling uplands, 13.20; do. gulf, 13.45; sales, 110.

Cotton futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Mar	12.38	12.44	12.30	12.40
May	11.78	11.94	11.74	11.90
July	11.69	11.78	11.65	11.77
Aug	....	11.66	11.64	11.64
Oct	11.32	11.41	11.31	11.39
Dec	11.35	11.48	11.39	11.47

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady,—32%; net receipts, 6,408; gross receipts, 6,488; stock, 331,748; constwise, 5,086.

New Orleans—Steady, 12%; net receipts, 3,911; gross receipts, 3,911; sales, 2,200; stock, 231,912; France, 3,331.

Mobile—Firm, 12½; net receipts, 1,122; gross receipts, 1,122; sales, 250; stock, 29,505; coastwise, 100.

Savannah—Quiet, 12%; net receipts, 2,462; gross receipts 2,462; sales, 590; stock, 67,307; continent, 6,222; coastwise, 79.

Charleston—Quiet, 12%; net receipts, 207; gross receipts, 207; stock, 20,734.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 229; gross receipts, 229; stock, 15,294.

Norfolk—Steady, 12%; net receipts, 912; gross receipts, 912; sales, 954; stock 40,851; coastwise, 864.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13.00; net receipts, 3,385; stock, 3,238; France, 1,083; constwise, 1,294.

New York—Steady, 12.20; gross receipts, 842; sales, 1,710; stock 108,658; Great Britain, 412; continent, 298; constwise, 406.

Boston—Steady, 13.20; net receipts, 25; gross receipts, 2,602; stock, 18,433.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.45; stock, 2,568.

Texas City—Stock, 18,845.

Minor Ports—Stock 6,636.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 15,276; Great Britain, 412; France, 5,319; continent, 6,690; stock, 895,709.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 110,165; Great Britain, 22,602; France, 15,470; continent, 40,292; Japan, 1,192.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 9,044,743; Great Britain, 2,764,162; France, 941,136; continent 3,130,639; Japan, 297,931; Mexico, 23,785.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12 9-16; net receipts, 3,822; gross receipts, 3,822; shipments, 5,487; sales, 655; stock, 100,270.

Augusta—Steady, 13¼; net receipts, 389; gross receipts, 637; shipments 670; sales, 841; stock, 70,091.

Memphis—Steady, 13.00; net receipts, 657; gross receipts, 1,592; shipments, 4,629; sales, 1,000; stock, 151,905.

St. Louis—Dull, 12¾; net receipts, 633; gross receipts, 1,945; shipments, 902; sales, 12; stock, 34,239.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 900; gross receipts, 900; shipments, 1,937; stock, 21,610.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12¾; net receipts, 540; gross receipts, 540; shipments, 612; stock, 53,827.

Total today—Net receipts, 6,961; gross receipts, 9,136; shipments, 14,327; sales, 3,108; stock, 492,562.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Mar. 12. — Spot, easy. Good middling, 7.34; middling, 6.96; low middling, 6.60.

Sales 7,000 bales; speculation and export, 700. Receipts, 4,000. Futures, steady. March, 6.60½; March-April, 6.60½; May-June, 6.54½; July-August, 6.45½; August-September, 6.36½; October-November, 6.17½; December-January, 6.11; January-February, 6.11.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Mar. 12.—Call money, steady, 1¾@2 per cent.; ruling rate, 1¾; closing bid, 1¾@2. Time loans firm. Sixty days, 3; ninety days, 3¼; six months, 3½@3¾. Mercantile paper, 4@4½. Sterling exchange firm; sixty days, 4.84; demand, 4.8620. Commercial bills, 4.83½. Bar silver, 57¾. Mexican dollars, 45¾. Government bonds, heavy. Railroad bonds, heavy.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Mar. 12.—Broadcloth cloth today advanced 5 cents a yard, after sales to the cutting trade for Fall delivery. Substantial sales of 3-yard sheetings have been made this week to China for shipment on contract through the summer months. Yarns ruled quiet. Raw silk was unchanged.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, March 12.—Turpentine—Steady.

Rosin—Quiet.

Savannah, March 12.—Turpentine—Firm, 46. Sales, 158; receipts, 18; shipments, 10; stocks 14,054.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,374; receipts, 1,498; shipments, 320; stocks, 112,448. Quote: A, B, 3.80; C, D, 3.85; E, 3.90 to 3.95; F, 4.00 to 4.02½; G, H, 4.02½ to 4.05; I, K, 4.05; M, 4.80; N, 5.75; W G, 5.95; W W, 6.35.

DISCUSS COTTON TRADING PROPOSITION IN MAY.

All Southern Cotton Exchanges Invited to Send Delegates.

Augusta, Ga., March 12.—The board of directors of the Augusta cotton exchange met today and passed a resolution inviting all the Southern exchanges to send delegates to a meeting to be held in Augusta the first week in May to discuss the cotton trading proposition.

The following is a copy of the telegram which will be sent to all of the Southern exchanges:

"The present agitation concerning the conduct of the cotton trade being a matter of serious consideration, and we of the South being vitally interested in a business-like solution of the question, it is the purpose of our exchange to call a meeting of the Southern exchanges in our city during the first week in May next to carefully consider, and make every reasonable effort to solve, or improve existing conditions, consistent with sound business principles. We, therefore, urge your co-operation and acceptance of our invitation by agreeing to have three delegates from your exchange meet with us at the appointed time. We feel that much can be accomplished by an inteligent exchange of opinion. We will appreciate a prompt response and earnestly hope we will have your co-operation."

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WHEAT LOST STRENGTH

Made Show of Strength in Early Session, But Later Fell Under Bearish Control.

Chicago, Mar. 12.—Although wheat at times today made a show of strength, the market ultimately fell under bearish control. Crop damage reports were denied and there was a continued lack of export call. The close was steady, but ¼ to ⅜ net lower.

Corn suffered a set back of ⅛@¼ to ⅜, and oats of ¼ to ¼@⅜.

Provisions varied from the same as last night to a loss of 2½.

Futures closed:

Wheat—May 93⅛; July, 88¼.

Corn—May, 66⅞; July, 69½.

Oats—May, 95⅜; July, 39¼.

Pork—May, 21.50; July, 21.55.

Lard—May, 10.77½; July, 10.97½.

Ribs—May, 11.47½; July, 11.60.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 95½; No. 2, hard, 92⅞@92⅞; No. 2, Northern, 94½@95½; No. 2, Spring, 94½@95.

Corn—No. 2, 65½; No. 2, yellow, 66.

Oats—No. 2, white, 40½@40¾; standard, 39¾@40.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Schr. William Thomas Moore, 263 tons, Jones, Jersey City, Mafflitt & Wood.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. St. Kilda (Br.), 2,469 tons, Hobbs, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. Trevier (Belg.), 1,871 tons, Vanderliet; Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. William Thomas Moore, 263 tons, Jones, Mafflitt ⅞ Wood.

Schr. Linah C. Kaminski, 421 tons, Christensen, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. J. Holmes Birdsall, 1,308 tons, Doughty, Mafflitt and Wood.

Schr. Phillips M. Brooks, Sounders, 243 tons; Mafflitt & Wood.

Barges.

Barge Tottenville, Olsen, Mafflitt & Wood.

Barge Southwest Merriman, Mafflitt & Wood.

Tugs.

Tug Wellington, Nelson, Mafflitt & Wood.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port.

Atlantic Coast Line—200 bales cotton; 9 casks spirits turpentine; 7 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—26 bales cotton.

Clyde Line—3 bales cotton.

Total—229 bales cotton; 9 casks spirits turpentine; 7 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, March 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 44½.

ROSIN—Steady, at $3.70.

TAR—Firm, at $2.00 per barrel; in casks, 9c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $2.25 per barrel for hard; $3.50 per barrel for dip; $3.50 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 41½; rosin, $6.05; tar, $2.20; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.00, $4.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	9
Rosin	7
Tar	4
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 14 casks; rosin, 12 barrels; tar, 11 barrels; crude turpentine, 2 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot, nominal for middling Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts, 229. Same day last year, 36 bales.

Total receipts since Sept. 1, 376,569 bales.

Total receipts same day last year, 292,915 bales.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., Mar. 7.—The peanut market, steady on Spanish and Virginias. Quote:

North Carolina—Weaker, 65 to 75 cents per bushel.

Spanish—Machine picked, $1.25 to $1.30 per bushel.

Virginias—Machine picked, 75 to 80 cts. per bushel.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Mar. 7, 1914.)

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $1.00 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 80; good demand.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel; good demand.

BEEF—Native dressed, 8c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 9@11c.; large, dull, 9c.

WOOL—Burry, 11 to 12c. per lb.; free 17c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12c.; dry flints, 14@16c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—New hams, 18c; new sides and shoulders, 12 1-2c per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 50c.; Spring chickens, 15@35c. per head; very dull.

EGGS—24c per doz.; dull.

TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18c per lb.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc. Petersburg, Va., March 9.—Spanish—Farmers' Spanish, firm, at $1.52½ per bushel.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 4½c to 4¾c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 3¾c to 4¼c. per lb. Extra Prime 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb. Prime, 3½c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 3c. to 3½c. per lb.

ANOTHER WHITE HOUSE WEDDING IN PROSPECT.

Report That McAdoo and President's Daughter Will Wed.

Washington, March 12.—Prospects of another White House wedding became more definite today with the persistent renewal of the report that Secretary McAdoo and Miss Eleanor Randolph Wilson, youngest daughter of the President and Mrs. Wilson, were engaged, the marriage to take place in June. There was no announcement from the White House and when the attention of officials was drawn to the report they refrained from making any comment or denial.

Secretary McAdoo himself said it would be indelicate for him to comment on the subject. Nevertheless official Washington is taking it as a definite fact that another wedding at the White House will be solemnized in June, after the adjournment of Congress.

Many persons who know Secretary McAdoo were not surprised at the report because he has been a frequent social visitor at the White House during the last year. Washington society has observed the couple at many a dance as well.

Mr. McAdoo is 50 years old, while Miss Wilson is twenty-four. He is a widower and has six children, one son and one daughter being married. Recently a grandson was born to his eldest daughter in Arizona. Mr. McAdoo knew the Wilson family before his entry into the cabinet and has been an intimate friend of the President since early in the pre-convention campaign.

Miss Wilson was educated in the private schools at Princeton, N. J., and during the last few years has been making frequent trips to Philadelphia to an art school where she has studied painting.

DECLINE IN STOCK MARKET

Bullish Speculators Lost All Interest in Market—Sagged Under Its Own Weight.

New York, Mar. 12.—Bullish speculators apparently lost all interest in the stock market today, and it sagged off under its own weight. The decline was due to lack of support rather than to active efforts to force down prices. Trading was dull, although a few stocks reflected persistent selling.

Norfolk-Southern dropped five points, owing to uncertainty as to the continued payment of dividends. American Sugar dropped to 97, the lowest figure since 1908. Express shares sagged sharply. From the steel trade came reports of price shading. The Rock Island and New Haven tangles, the prolonged uncertainty regarding the Mexican question, and the indefinite status of general business conditions all tend to confuse sentiment and restrict speculative activity. The short interest having been reduced by covering on the mid-week rise, there was little demand for stocks for either account.

In the bond market the movement was similar to that in stocks. Prices in most cases were shaded and severe losses were recorder in various low grade issues. Total sales, par value, $2,275,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales, par value, $2,275,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales were 194,000, including American Tobacco, 500; C. and O., 2,100; Lehikh Valley, 5,500; L. and N., 100; N. and W., 600; Reading, 15,900; S. A. L., pfd., 400; Southern Railway, 700; do. pfd., 200; Tennessee Copper, 100; United States Steel, 37,300; V. C. C., 100.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	73⅞
American Agricultural	53
American Beet Sugar	21
American Can	28⅞
American Can, pfd	93¼
American Car and Foundry	49⅞
American Cotton Oil	42⅝
American Ice Securities	31
American Linseed	10
American Locomotive	34
Amer. Smelting and Ref	67
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	102½
American Sugar Refining	97
American Tel and Tel	121⅛
American Tobacco	249⅜
Anaconda Mining Co	35¼
Atchison	95⅞
Atchison, pfd	100¼
Atlantic Coast Line	121
Baltimore and Ohio	88⅛
Bethlehem Steel	43⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	91⅝
Canadian Pacific	201⅜
Central Leather	32½
Chesapeake and Ohio	51¼
Chicago Great Western	11⅜
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	98¼
Chicago and North Western	135⅜
Colorado Fuel and Iron	32
Consolidated Gas	132
Corn Products	11⅝
Delaware and Hudson	149
Denver and Rio Grande	19½
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	49½
Distillers' Securities	18½
Erie	28½
Erie, 1st pfd	43½
Erie, 2nd pfd	36⅞
General Electric	146
Great Northern, pfd	126½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	38⅝
Illinois Central	108⅜
Interborough-Met	14¾
Interborough-Met., pfd	59¼
Inter Harvester	103⅝
Inter Marine, pfd	19
International Paper	9⅛
International Pump	67½
Kansas City Southern	25
Laclede Gas	96
Lehigh Valley	144⅝
Louisville and Nashville	135
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	129
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	16⅜
Missouri Pacific	28⅝
National Biscuit	132
National Lead	49
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	11
New York Central	89⅜
New York, Ont. and Western	36
Norfolk and Western	102⅜
North American	74½
Northern Pacific	111⅞
Pacific Mail	23½
Pennsylvania	110⅛
People's Gas	121½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	88
Pittsburg Coal	20½
Pressed Steel Car	42½
Pullman Palace Car	152½
Reading	162⅜
Republic Iron and Steel	25
Republic Iron and Steel pfd	90¼
Rock Island Co	4½
Rock Island Co., pfd	6⅝
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	7
Seaboard Air Line	19⅛
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	53⅝
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	32
Southern Pacific	93¼
Southern Railway	24½
Southern Railway, pfd	83⅜
Tennessee Copper	34½
Texas and Pacific	14
Union Pacific	156⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	82½
United States Realty	60
United States Rubber	61⅜
United States Steel	63⅜
United States Steel, pfd	109⅝
Utah Copper	53⅜
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	31⅛
Wabash	2
Wabash, pfd	6⅜
Western Maryland	30
Western Union	63⅝
Westinghouse Electric	72⅝
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4
New Haven	89
Chino Copper	40⅜
Bay CoCns. Copper	20⅝
L. and M	224
L. and M., pfd	115
Lorillard	178
Lorillard, pfd	112½

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, March 12.—Flour—Steady.

Wheat—Irregular. No. 2, hard, Winter, 100¾; No. 2, red, 1.05; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 1.02¾; No. 1, Northern Manitoba, 1.03¾.

Corn—Steady. No. 3, yellow, 71.

Hides—Easy.

Leather—Firm.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Steady.

Turpentine—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Rosin—Quiet.

Butter—Easy.

Cheese—Steady; unchanged.

Sugar—Raw, steady. Molasses sugar, 2.30; centrifugal, 2.95; refined, easy, unchanged to 20 points lower.

Coffee—Spot, unsettled. Rio, No. 7, 8¾; Santos, No. 4, 11½; mild, dull; Cordova, 12@16¾, nominal.

Potatoes—Easier.

Cabbages—Steady and unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady and unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady and unchanged.

Freights—Steady and unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Steady today early on covering of shorts and light crude offerings but the list later turned easy under selling for account of refiners and lack of new outside demand. Final prices were 1 to 3 points net lower. The market closed steady. Spot, 7.10@7.50; March, 7.22@7.24; April, 7.26@7.28; May, 7.31@7.35; June, 7.40@7.45; July, 7.50@7.51; August, 7.57@7.59; September, 7.61@7.63; October, 7.00@7.15. Total sales, 8,200.

SERGEANT LEMART ARRIVES.

Instructor of Sanitary Troops of National Guard.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 12.—Sergt. Brent A. Lemart has arrived here and reported for duty to Adjutant General Young, of the North Carolina National Guard, as sergeant instructor of the sanitary troops of the North Carolina National Guard.

He is assigned to this State by the War Department. He has been in the service for 20 years. He has just been ordered to Asheville to instruct Field Hospital Corps No. 1 there.

BASEBALL TODAY.

Sunset Park, Philadelphia Nationals vs. Jersey City, 3 o'clock.

(advertisement.)

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

March 13, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 34 degrees; at 8 P. M., 35 degrees; maximum, 36 degrees; minimum, 33 degrees; mean, 34 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .36; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.55.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday 9.5 feet.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair Friday and Saturday, rising temperature.

The Port Calendar, Mar. 13, 1914.

Sun rises	6:25 A. M.
Sun sets	6:18 P. M.
Day's length	11 hrs. 53 min.

Tides.	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	10:47	11:13	5:54	6:10
Southport	8:43	9:02	2:41	2:58
Masonboro Inlet	8:32	8:51	2:21	2:38

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.
March 12, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last Night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	56	24	.0
Asheville	clear	32	28	.44
Atlanta	clear	40	32	.28
Augusta	clear	46	38	.74
Birmingham	clear	46	32	.10
Boston	clear	36	20	.0
Charleston	pt cldy	44	44	.50
Charlotte	clear	38	28	.72
Chicago	clear	42	24	.0
Galveston	clear	54	44	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	68	58	.0
Memphis	clear	42	30	.0
Mobile	pt cldy	48	40	.01
Montgomery	clear	44	36	.58
New Orleans	clear	50	42	.0
New York	clear	34	16	.0
Oklahoma	clear	58	42	.0
Palestine	clear	52	32	.0
Pittsburg	clear	32	12	.0
Raleigh	clear	38	24	.56
Savannah	cloudy	52	52	.18
Shreveport	clear	52	34	.0
St. Louis	clear	44	28	.0
Washington	clear	32	20	.0

Washington, March 12.—J. Kemp Doughton, a son of former Lieut. Gov. R. A. Doughton, has been ordered from Indiana to North Carolina, where he will succeed Fred A. Hull as National Bank examiner. Mr. Doughton goes to North Carolina April 10th.

Senator Overman secured his transfer.

CHILDREN'S COLDS TREATED EXTERNALLY

Dr. Henry Louis Smith, Pres. of Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va., says: "In the last few years we have used

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RECEIVER'S SALE.

By virtue of and in pursuance to a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, made and entered at the February Term, A. D., 1914, in a cause therein pending, wherein the Corbett Company is plaintiff and the Ocean Fisheries Company is defendant, the undersigned Receiver will, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, A. D. 1914, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., at the plant of the Ocean Fisheries Company, on the Cape Fear river, in the County of Brunswick, between the City of Wilmington and Southport, expose for sale by public auction, for Cash, to the highest bidder, all that certain tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Brunswick, State of North Carolina, lying on the west side of the Cape Fear river, adjoining the lands of the late K. M. Murchison, on the nroth, and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a stake, sweet gum pointer, which stake is in the line that divides the tract of land hereby conveyed from what was formerly the Howe lands, on the west shore of the Cape Rear river; and runs thence north 78 west along said dividing line, 128 poles to a stake; thence north 80 poles to a black gum in the branch known as Milliner Branch, which said black gum marks the corner of the tract hereby conveyed, and one of the Orton corners; thence south 76 east, 140 poles, to a stake and stone in the mouth of Milliner Branch, at the edge of the Cape Fear river; thence down the river as it meanders to the beginning point; the said lands being known as the Milliner lands, and containing 60 acres, be the same more or less, upon which said tract of land is situate the factory and plant of the Ocean Fisheries Company, and with said tract of land will be sold the plant, tools, machinery and all other articles of personal property used in connection with the same, except the boats and barges, their tackle, furniture and apparel hereinafter mentioned, which will be sold separately, and excepting also one press in said factory, which will not be sold.

The Receiver will also sell at said place and time, separately, the steamer "Compton," the steamer "Susquehanna," and the steamer "Nellie B. Dey," their tackle, apparel and furniture, and also one barge, "The Admiral," its tackle and equipment.

The above described property will be sold free and clear of any and all encumbrances, and the encumbrances upon the same will be transferred from the property to the fund in court, the purchaser not having to look to the application of the purchase money, and said sale will be made subject to confirmation of the Court.

MORRISON W. DIVINE, Receiver.

E. K. Bryan, Attorney.

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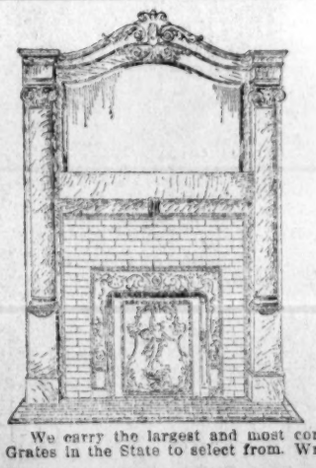

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SPEECH OF PAGE DRAWS SENATE'S IRE

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with volcanic tendencies. He sometimes read that the United States was entering upon a policy to discourage foreign investments. There was a policy forming in the mind of the American government which was not new, that would discourage investments or such concessions as would carry with them control of the government of any of those States and only that.

"It was not the business of the United States to put any hindrance upon any investments anywhere in the world, provided only that the investments were not made so that they took the country with them.

"The Monroe Doctrine meant only that no European governments should gain any more land in the new world.

"In concluding the ambassador said that next to free government which had its birth in the United Kingdom, the greatest fact in the whole world was the collosal structure of British commerce that bound all parts of the earth together and made men know one another and, therefore, become more reasonable and more peaceful."

The Times quotes Ambassador Page after his references to Panama and tariff, as follows:

"Concerning the recent message of President Wilson he could say the same. He delivered it not merely to please the people of these islands, but to express the true sentiment and self respect of the American nation for every true American."

The Pall Mall Gazette in an editorial on Ambassador Page's speech says:

"The American ambassador made two statements about American policy which were pleasing to the British ear—first that the President spoke the mind of the American people in the Panama message, and second, that the United States views with no unfriendly eye commercial investments in the Central American republics by foreigners, unless they are likely to involve political control. The United States is perfectly right to set its face against the latter."

TOO MANY AUTOMOBILES BOUGHT BY GOVERNMENT.

John Sharp Williams Lead An Unsuccessful Fight In Senate.

Washington, March 12.—Senator John Sharp Williams made an unsuccessful fight in the Senate today to check what he called government extravagance in the purchase of automobiles for "Joy-riding purposes." The question came up in the consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill to provide automobiles for the district commissioners.

Senator Williams suggested this was a good place to start a much-needed reform. It was a public scandal, he said, the extent to which the government had gone into the purchase of automobiles for cabinet officers and department heads, who, as far as government business was concerned had no use for them except to come to their work and go home again. He used the street cars, himself, he added, and found them quite good enough.

For public servants whose business could be expedited by the use of automobiles, the Senator advocated increases in salary sufficient to enable them to buy machines.

Senator Gallinger remarked that he had often been mud-spattered by a government machine driven by a department clerk and Senator Lodge admitted that the government had gone "pretty far" in the automobile-buying industry, but thought the district commissioners ought to have what they asked.

Senator Williams' amendment to eliminate provision for the commissioners' machines was voted down.

PROMINENT YOUNG MAN KILLED AT GREENVILLE.

Father Shot Man Who Carried Daughter to House of Ill Fame.

Greenville, S. C., March 12.—R. E. Emmett Walker, aged 20, of good family and social standing, was shot and almost instantly killed at the Carolina Mills this morning by G. W. Tidwell, aged 52, a traveling man of Clinton, S. C. Tidwell went to Walker's office, called him out and grasping his right hand pulled a pistol with his left and shot Walker twice. Tidwell claims that the young man contributed to the delinquency of his 19-year-old daughter and then refused to marry her. The killing occurred six days after Tidwell learned of the alleged relations between his daughter and Walker.

"God knows I tried to avoid this," said Tidwell tonight, "but there was nothing else to be done."

The trouble started when Walker and another young man are alleged to have taken Tidwell's daughter and her step-mother to a house of ill fame in this city last Friday night.

V. J. McARTHUR, CLINTON'S POSTMASTER, IS DEAD.

T. J. H. Peterson, Prominent Samson Citizen, Passes.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., March 12.—V. J. McArthur, postmaster of Clinton, died at his home here this afternoon, aged 68 years. He had been ill but a few days. He was a splendid citizen and ex-Confederate soldier, and leaves a widow and several children.

For the past seven years he had been postmaster here. Formerly he had served the county as a commissioner for several years. He was a devout member of the Universalist church. The present plans are for the funeral tomorrow afternoon.

T. J. H. Peterson, a prominent farmer of this county, died today at his home in the country. He had been in declining health for several months. He leaves a widow and a large family of children. The funeral will be from the family residence tomorrow.

FOR COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS.

Dr. Detwiler to be at Greensboro College for Women.

Greensboro, N. C., March 12.—President Turrentine, of the Greensboro College for Women, announces that Rev. G. H. Detwiler, D. D., pastor of West End church, Nashville, Tenn., will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of 1914 at West Market Street Methodist church on Sunday, May 24th, which will be one of the first events of the commencement exercises. Dr. Detwiler was for four years pastor of this church and was for many years a member of the Western North Carolina Conference, as pastor of several churches and a presiding elder. The announcement that he will be here in May will be good news to many of his admirers.

The literary address will be delivered on the morning of May 26th, in the college chapel by Dr. William A. Webb, president of Randolph-Macon Woman's College at Lynchburg, and will be followed by the graduating exercises. The graduating class from the several departments includes several young women, and will probably be the largest class in some time. The complete programme for commencement will soon be announced.

REPORT LOBBYING AGAINST REPEAL

(Continued from Page One.)

Tube Service Company of Boston, which operates the tube services of the postoffices in various cities.

The witnesses declared he did not know that a law existed against making contracts with soldiers and sailors whereby they were to pay a percentage of increased salaries for his services. He insisted that several legal firms in Washington devoted much time to this business.

Speaking of his present occupation, DeKnight said he had seen service about Congress, first as a page, stenographer and committee clerk in the House, and later as clerk of the Naval Affairs committee of the Senate. He served as stenographer on the Armor board of the Navy Department, and also in the Postoffice department, in a clerical capacity.

DeKnight admitted having used franks obtained at the office of Senator McCumber, in sending documents to friends and clients.

Questioned to bring out relations he might have with present employees of the government, DeKnight declared he made payments to none of his friends in various departments, and that they were not interested with him in any business venture.

DeKnight charged there was animus behind an effort to discredit him.

It was developed that a list of Civil war veterans would be benefited by a pending bill, and which DeKnight had in his possession, had been held secret by the War department. Senator Reed asked where DeKnight got it.

"I got it from Congressman Barchfield, of Pennsylvania," said DeKnight. "He wrote to Secretary Stimson, stating it might be valuable for campaign purposes. Then I got the list from him."

"Then when you got the list," continued Senator Reed, "you conceived the idea of this bill, had Barchfield introduce it, and then started to work writing letters to these old men to interest them in your contracts?"

"Yes, Mr. Barchfield introduced the bill, and I wrote to the men."

The bill has passed the Senate but not the House.

It was said tonight the committee probably would issue subpoenas for Admiral Bowles and others mentioned by DeKnight before its hearing is concluded.

Denies DeKnight Testimony.

Boston, Mass., March 12.—RearAdmiral Bowles, president of the For River Shipbuilding company, today denied that he had employed Clarence W. DeKnight to work for toll exemptions for American coastwise ships in the Panama Canal act, as testified by DeKnight before the Senate lobby committee at Washington.

CHARGES ARE MADE AGAINST GIFFORD PINCHOT.

Representative Declares He Allowed Greatest Steal of All.

Washington, March 12.—Gifford Pinchot, former head of the Federal Forestry Service, was charged in the House today by Representative Humphrey, of Washington (Republican), with favoring, as chief forester, a government land exchange transaction with the Santa Fe Railroad that was "the greatest and most outrageous looting of the public domain in our history."

"I challenge any man to show," declared the Washington member, "that Mr. Pinchot ever protested against the steal under which the Santa Fe Railroad received 1,200,000 acres of the best public land in exchange for a like number of acres of untimbered and utterly worthless land, which was estimated by the railroad to be worth from $15 to 18 cents an acre. Mr. Gifford Pinchot could see a man in Alaska if he cut a fishing pole, but he could not see the Santa Fe Railroad getting 1,200,000 acres at one time."

Representative Humphrey also charged that when Mr. Pinchot was forester an extension of a forest reserve in Montana included 240,000 acres of "practically treeless land" belonging to the Northern Pacific Railroad.

"For this land of little value," he added, "the Northern Pacific obtained 240,000 acres of heavily-timbered land in exchange and Pinchot favored the transaction at that time."

Mr. Humphrey's speech was part of a running fire of attack upon the forest service, that held up progress on the agricultural appropriation bill.

MRS. BETSY JONES DEAD.

Aged Resident of Rocky Mount Passes—Buried at Tarboro.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., March 12.—Mrs. Betsy Jones, aged 93 years, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. S. J. Redmond, Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The deceased was one of the older residents of this section of the State and is survived by two nieces, Mrs. S. J. Redmond, of this city, and Miss Margaret Johnson, of Tarboro.

The remains were taken by the afternoon train to Tarboro to be interred following the funeral services conducted from the Primitive Baptist church, of which deceased was a member. The remains were interred in the family plot of the deceased in the Primitive Baptist churchyard. A score of friends and acquaintances accompanied the bereaved relatives from this city.

BETTER TELEPHONE SERVICE.

Warsaw to Have New and Modern System—Long Distance.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., March 12.—Some time ago the telephone system here was sold at public auction and was bought by Mr. Sam Middleton. Mr. Middleton and Dr. W. D. Hines have formed a partnership and have begun to erect a modern system. They have leased offices in the Citizens Bank building and are putting in a keyboard of the latest type and all modern equipment.

Workmen are busy erecting poles and stretching wires, and telephones of modern type will soon be installed for the subscribers. Long distance connections will be made as soon as the local system can be completed. Dr. Hines is assuming personal charge of this enterprise, and an excellent service is assured.

LICENSE REVOKED BY AUDITOR.

National Life Association Prevented From Writing More Policies.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 12.—John L. Bleakley, State auditor, today revoked the license of the National Life Association, thus preventing the company from writing further business in Iowa.

It was stated at the auditor's office that this will not affect policies now on the books to the extent of $30,000,000. It was said the auditor recently declared void policies aggregating $5,850,000 written since May, 1913, on the ground that they did not comply with the State laws.

"SUPERIOR EQUITY" LIES WITH SOUTHERN NATIONAL.

Wilmington Bank Wins Case Before Federal Appellate Court.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Richmond, Va., March 12.—Affirming the district court at Charleston, S. C., the Federal circuit court of appeals today held that the legal firm of Wilcox & Wilcox, of Florence, S. C., although rendering service in the Kanawha Lumber Company receivership case, are not entitled to collection of fees from funds of the company, the court being of the opinion that "superior equity" lies with the Southern National Bank, of Wilmington, N. C., and others, who furnished money, on the strength of receivers' certificates, for carrying on the business during the course of litigation.

It appears that when it came to a settlement, the resources of the company were not sufficient to reimburse all claimants, and so preference was given those who supplied the funds.

MURPHY CANNOT BELONG TO DEMOCRATIC CLUB.

Read Out of Club, Tammany Leader Will Not be Reinstated.

New York, March 12.—The action of the board of governors of the National Democratic Club in dropping Charles F. Murphy and other Tammany men from membership was severely criticised today by former Congressman Martin W. Littleton in a letter to the president of the club. Mr. Littleton is himself a Democrat.

In answer to his letter and others from the 65 who were dropped from membership, Judge Edward O'Dwyer, president of the club replied that any member who is delinquent in his dues is dropped automatically from membership, and that reinstatement is at the discretion of the board of governors.

"So far," said Judge O'Dwyer, "fifteen of the 65 have applied and will be reinstated. But Mr. Murphy and Foley, Plunkett, Darlington, Gaffney and Siegel will not be accepted."

The Siegel referred to is Henry Siegel, the indicted banker. Foley, Plunkett, Darlington and Gaffney are members of Tammany Hall.

SEVEN MORE BODIES RECOVERED IN RUINS.

Athletic Club's Register Found—Thirty is Death Toll.

St. Louis, March 12.—Seven bodies were recovered today from the ruins of the Missouri Athletic Club, destroyed by fire Monday morning, bringing the total number recovered to 1. Of these 11 have been identified, but one of the identifications is doubtful. One body found today was identified as that of Thomas Wright, of St. Louis.

The bodies of 13 are believed to be in ruins, making the total death roll 30. The finding of the club register today and a comparison of the names therein with lives already prepared confirmed the club officers in the belief that the death roll would not exceed 30.

A joint committee of the municipal assembly late today began an inquiry into the cause of the disaster. The coroner will begin to take testimony tomorrow.

THE BOND ELECTION.

Registration Will be in Progress Through Saturday This Week.

Now that the primary is out of the way, political interest will center in the election to be held upon an issue of $200,000 for municipal docks and terminals on March 24th, registration for which is now in progress and will continue through Saturday of this week. An entirely new registration is ordered and unless the voter has already registered separately for this election, he will have to do so this week. On other days than Saturday, the registrar may be found at his home or place of business, but on Saturday he may be found at his polling place. A list of polling places and registrars for the several wards in the city may be found elsewhere in today's paper.

In order to vote against the docks, it is only necessary to register, as it will require a majority of the vote that is registered, whether cast or not, to carry the bond issue.

FRIDAY THE 13TH.

No Dire Calamities Predicted, but No Telling What May Happen.

This is Friday, the 13th.

This is written with no intention of scaring anybody but simply to remind you that it is the second time within a month when the 13th comes on Friday. The rough weather of the preceding date still remains fresh in the minds of most Wilmingtonians. It rained torrents and during the day and night there were seven different kinds of weather and all of them bad.

The weather man holds out brighter prospects for today. True, he predicted snow for last night with freezing temperature. The snow didn't come, while the freezing weather did. However, he says it will warm up today and by tomorrow it will be spring again. Such is the changeableness of Wilmington weather.

If things don't go just right today don't grumble, but be thankful that they are no worse, provided no great calamity happens. Anyway, it will be better to be careful.

OPENING OF CLASSES.

Arrangements Made for Teaching Stenography at Y. M. C. A.

As a part of its varied work the Y. M. C. A. proposes in the near future to begin the organization of night classes in different studies, and a beginning will be made with a class in stenography which will be organized Monday night. Mr. J. D. Edwards, of this city, an expert stenographer, who has had much experience in the teaching of this subject, has been secured as teacher.

All young men interested in this study are requested to meet him at the Y. M. C. A. Monday night at 8 o'clock. The lecture rooms of the institution are admirably suited to teaching, having blackboard and chairs which were made especially for use in teaching.

As soon as possible it is planned to organize classes for the teaching of English, arithmetic, mechanical drawing and the various commercial branches. This should prove to be very popular with the young men who wish to improve themselves.

Out of the Hospital.

Friends of Mrs. J. T. Howard will be pleased to learn that she has so far recovered from her recent critical illness that she was able yesterday to leave the Harper Sanitarium, where she had been under treatment for the past six weeks, having undergone a series of difficult operations, which proved entirely successful.

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Greensboro Loan & Trust Absorbs Home Savings.

Greensboro, N. C., March 12.—The Greensboro Loan & Trust Company this morning took charge of the business of the Home Savings Bank, and the latter institution will go out of business. This does not mean that the Home Savings Bank was in unsound condition, for the very opposite was true.

The officers and stockholders were of the opinion that they could do a larger business and make more money by consolidating with the Greensboro Loan & Trust Company, which is one of the biggest institutions in this section of the State. Resolutions of thanks to Cashier Bray, who becomes a director in the consolidated concern, were adopted.

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C. F. Oil Co.—Gasoline.
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S. P. Cowan—Card of Thanks.
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Grand Theatre—Motion Pictures.
Foard Hardware Co.—Fishing Tackle.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Position.
Lost—Eye Glasses.
Lost—Plaid Shawl.
C. R. Pape—Butter.
Found—Human Being.
Wanted—Stenographer.
For Sale—Family Pony.
A. G. Warren Co.—Milk.
Palace Market—Shad Roe.
W. M. Cumming—For Sale.
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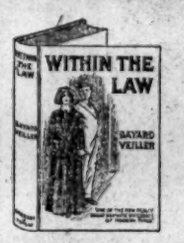

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